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THREATEN LIFE OF CONGRESSMAN

ASSASIN WANTS TO KILL BAN JOHNSON OF KENTUCY BECAUSE OF CERTAIN LEGISLATION.

CHAIRMAN OF IMPORTANT COM.

Plans Were Betrayed by Man Who Talked on Car—Johnson Is On Guard.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24—Special to Telegraph—The alleged plan to kill Representative Johnson of Kentucky, chairman of the house committee on District of Columbia, so as to head off certain legislation, has been disclosed. Johnson refuses to comment and declares he knows about it and will be on his guard. The assassin's scheme was betrayed by a man who talked on a car.

The "certain legislation" concerns the saloon problem for the city of Washington.

ROSENTHAL HEARS FROM PRESIDENT

TAFT SORRY HE CAN'T COME TO BARBECUE—WISHES ALL HAPPY OUTING.

The following letter received by Eli Rosenthal, chairman of the barbecue committee of the Elks, is self-explanatory, and while it brought some disappointment, the committee feels that it is a good advertisement for the affair to be held Labor day. The letter is:

My Dear Sir:

As the President will not be able to attend the barbecue to be given by the Elks at Watson's island on Labor day, I beg to return to you, as requested, the ticket which accompanied your letter of the 17th instant.

Thanking you in the President's behalf for your courtesy and conveying his best wishes for a successful and happy outing, I am,

Yours very truly,

C. A. THOMPSON,

Secretary to the President.

SHORTAGE OF BRICK HALTS WORK

IS DIFFICULT TO GET SPECIAL BRICK FOR SPENCER & ASCHENBRENNER STRUCTURE.

Work on the Aschenbrenner and Spencer building has been halted again by a shortage of corner brick for the front. The brick is a special make, and the delay therefore will be of greater duration than if common brick was used.

"WE'RE ALL TRYING"—MILLER

WHEN ASKED IF CUBS WERE GOING TO WIN PENNANT THIS FALL.

Ward Miller returned to Chicago this morning after spending yesterday with his family in Dixon. When asked at the depot this morning if the Cubs were going to win the pennant he answered: "I don't know, but you can bet we're all trying."

TEXAS LYNCH LEADER FINED $1.

MAN WHO LED MOB THAT EXECUTED NEGRO FOUND GUILTY IN COUNTY COURT.

McKinney, Tex., Aug. 24—Sam Wilcoxen of Farmersville was today fined $1 in the county court for leading white men and boys who a year ago lynched a negro, Ed. Harris.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith returned last evening from Chicago.

Stephen Stift of Chicago is here visiting friends.

Andrew Gerdes of Sterling was in town today.

John Hennessey of St. Louis is here for a visit.

R. W. AUSTIN

Congressman Austin of Tennessee was accused by Congressman Rainey of Illinois of having too close relations with the "water power trust," and retaliated by calling Rainey the "great defamer from Illinois."

C. F. BAKER GETS TO END OF ROPE

ARRESTED IN SPRINGFIELD ON CHARGE OF STEALING AND FORGERY.

Amboy News: Charles F. Baker, the former Amboy boy who came to town on an evening train July 15th and made quite a splurge on the following day and wound up by trying to get a check for $300 cashed at the First National bank, is finally in the toils of the law. Just one month after his little escapade in Amboy he was arrested in Springfield charged with forgery and robbery.

The News is indebted to Norman F. Reinboth of Springfield for a copy of the Illinois State Register which contains the following account of young Baker's last effort that has come to light thus far and which resulted in his arrest:

"Although Charles Vivian Baker, who claims to be a marine nurse from the marine hospital in Chicago, faced a charge of stealing a watch and $75 in money and obtaining $20 on a forged telegram from Orville D. Stewart, a lawyer of Chicago, in this city, he came back here from San Francisco yesterday. He was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Wilbur F. Morris, while sitting in the probate court room waiting for a friend.

"Mr. Stewart met Baker at a hotel in this city, where both were staying while here on business. Stewart became ill and hired Baker to nurse him. He says that he gave Baker a telegram for money to send to his firm in Chicago and that Baker took the money, some money which he had in his possession, and skipped out. He also took a watch belonging to Stewart.

"The sheriff's office traced Baker to Kansas City and then to San Francisco. The San Francisco officials telegraphed here that Baker had started back east. Deputy Morris knew that Baker had friends here and was on the lookout for him. He recognized him in the probate court yesterday."

MEDILL AND CHAUNCEY SWAP JOBS

M'CORMACK GOES ON NATIONAL COMMITTEE AND DEWEY MANAGES ILLINOIS.

Medill McCormack and Chauncey Dewey, prominent progressives, have changed jobs. McCormack has given up the state management to Dewey and has taken the place on the national committee vacated by Dewey. McCormack has more experience in national politics than Dewey hence the change.

R. R. FRY HERE.

R. R. Fry, former vice president of the Grand Detour Plow company, is in Dixon, a guest at the C. A. Todd home.

A. A. Rowland has returned from a vacation visit in Wisconsin.

Miss Nellie Bresnahan has returned from Chicago, where she spent her vacation.

SANDERS NOT YET VISITED BY FATHER

BUT MURDERER EXPRESSES CONFIDENCE HIS PARENT WILL COME.

HE IS DETERMINED TO FIGHT

Believes When Jury Hears His Story They Will Take Lenient View of the Murder.

Although he has been disappointed twice by the non-arrival of his father, Cornelius Sanders, Warren Sanders, in his cell at the Lee county jail today expressed confidence that his parents will come to his aid, even though they are somewhat tardy in arriving.

Sanders states that he realizes the seriousness of the crime for which he will be tried, and he expresses a willingness to take his punishment, but he is determined to fight the case providing any of his relatives will furnish the necessary finances.

He believes that when a jury has heard his side of the story and has learned the things he alleges, it will take a lenient view of the double murder, and give him a light sentence.

NESBIT SELECTED AS ENGINEER

INLET SWAMP DRAINAGE COMMISSIONERS EMPLOY LOCAL MAN TO COMPLETE WORK.

The board of commissioners of the Inlet Swamp drainage district held a meeting yesterday afternoon, when they engaged C. F. Nesbit of this city as engineer for the big work which is about to start in the district. Mr. Nesbit was engaged to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. A. Pennington of Taylorville.

Mr. Nesbit is an experienced surveyor and engineer and will take active charge of the work as soon as possible.

ARE HAVING TROUBLE TO SECURE GROUNDS

FOR WALLACE AND HAGGENBACK BIG SHOWS COMING SEPTEMBER 20.

The committee working to make arrangements for the appearance of the Wallace & Haggenback shows here Friday, Sept 20, is encountering a little difficulty in securing suitable grounds. They have wired the management of the circus asking additional time to attend to this feature and will continue their efforts to complete satisfactory arrangements. They are particularly desirous of securing the show for Dixon as Ringling Brothers announced at Sterling Thursday that they would return to that city later in the season.

METHODISTS PLAN FOR BIG PICNIC

LABOR DAY THIS YEAR WILL BE A RED LETTER DAY FOR MEMBERS OF CHURCH

Plans for the big Methodist picnic, to be held in Assembly park on Labor day, are rapidly being completed.

A general basket picnic will be enjoyed by all who care to attend. Several of the Sunday school classes will arrange to enjoy their dinners together.

Various sports for the entertainment of the crowd are planned and will be announced next week.

The plans for the day will be announced tomorrow at the Sunday school and it is hoped that all the young folks will be there to hear them.

Dixon Guest.

Miss Theresa Nichols of Chicago is expected to arrive on the late train this evening to visit at the Frank Amberg home on East River road.

WHITESIDE MOOSES DIVIDE THE HERD

SPLIT IN THE RANKS OF THE NEW PARTY IN NEARBY COUNTY.

COUNTY AND LEGISLATIVE TICKETS THE CAUSE

J. T. Williams, Progressive Leader, Wants to Back Primary Nominees.

Sterling Standard: The selection of a county and legislative ticket threatens to split the ranks of the Bull Moose party in Whiteside county and in the last 24 hours there has arisen a condition that is serious.

In Chicago the state leaders insist that the complete county tickets be named in each county in the state and in each congressional district, so that candidates for representatives be named.

J. T. Williams refused to endorse any such action in this district basing his refusal on the grounds that the progressives in their county convention had endorsed the ticket already in the field for representatives and county officers and he does not think it wise to go behind this action in any way.

This action on the part of Williams will cost him the nomination for congressman at large on the Bull Moose ticket and he explains his attitude in a letter sent out this morning to various Bull Moose workers in the county.

The state leaders want Williams to run for the office of member of the state board of equalization in the district but it is not at all likely that he will consider a proposition of this kind.

The refusal of leaders of the movement in this county to countenance third county or legislative tickets has caused the state leaders to select a Lee county man to invade the county and arrange for naming a ticket, but it is not likely this gentleman will meet with much favorable support for a county ticket.

Leaders of all parties agree that the action of the progressives in desiring to foist a third ticket for everything is going to injure the ticket in the county.

The progressives in the east end of the senatorial district have an axe to grind with Hon. A. N. Abbott and it is this that makes them so insistent upon a third ticket for representatives being placed in the field.

In the matter of a county ticket, the real cause for naming candidates for the county office is not evident, as the candidates on the ticket were at heart all progressives from the start and in many instances have signified their intention of supporting Roosevelt.

FAIR HAVEN FARMER DROPS DEAD

EXPIRES WHILE TAKING STRAW AWAY FROM THRESHING MACHINE.

Sterling, Aug. 24—John D. Wichert of Fair Haven dropped dead on Thursday afternoon while working in his barn taking care of the straw from a threshing machine. Mr. Wichert was in the best of health, but it is believed that tramping around on the straw affected his heart action. Several men were in the barn with Mr. Wichert when suddenly he fell backwards and when his companions arrived at his side he was dead.

U. S. SOLDIERS PASS THRU HERE

UNCLE SAM'S SIGNAL CORPS BOYS ARE ENROUTE TO CALIFORNIA.

A train load of soldiers, horses and wagons passed through Dixon on the Chicago & Northwestern on their way from Chicago to California. The train was marked U. S. Signal Corps. As the train passed through one of the soldiers dropped a card from the window on which was written "J. P. Fleming, U. S. Signal Corps, Omaha, Neb. Write to me." which proves that romantic soldiers are not a matter of fiction alone.

COLORED CITIZEN WHIPS RUBENSTEIN

AND IS BROUGHT BEFORE JUSTICE HANNAKEN AND DISMISSED.

SAM PROVEN THE AGRESSOR

The Unpleasant Mixup Has Placed Sam Where He Is In Doubt, Politically.

Wm. Gedson, colored, was arrested last evening on a warrant sworn out by Sam Rubenstein, charging assault and battery and divers other crimes against the majesty of the law, and the aforesaid complaining witness, Sam Rubenstein, Mr. Rubenstein alleged that on or about yesterday afternoon or evening the defendant Gedson did, or cause to be did, assault and beat said complaining witness, thereby causing him great bodily anxiety, which bodily anxiety did cause Rubenstein to involuntarily but effectively to break at the le ast one of the commandments.

Justice Hannaken heard the case and after examining the witness decided that Rubenstein had been the aggressor, that he had no business to cause one of the hireling to jump on Mr. Gedson with a heavy iron bar and trying to break said heavy iron bar over Mr. Gedson's (colored) head. He promptly dismissed the defendant, and now Rubenstein don't know whether to vote for Roosevelt or not.

PALMYRA FARMER IN RUNAWAY

ALBION SEAVEY HAS HEAD CUT AND LEFT COLLAR BONE FRACTURED.

Albion Seavey, a prominent farmer of Palmyra, while coming to Dixon this afternoon, was thrown from his vehicle onto the Galena avenue bridge and sustained a bad cut on the head and had his left collar bone fractured. Mr. Seavey was taken to the office of Dr. Parker. His horse frightened at a delivery wagon and turned suddenly to one side, cramping the buggy and throwing Mr. Seavey to the floor of the bridge.

The horse ran away but was caught before it had gone far and taken to Manges' feed sheds.

GANNONS PARK PLAN TAKES

BUSINESS MEN APPROVE OF THE SCHEME—PROPOSE TO ISSUE BONDS.

Commissioner M. J. Gannon stated this morning that the publication of his scheme to purchase the Dixon College campus and transform it into a city park, is meeting with the approval of all classes, and he is of the opinion that no trouble whatever will be encountered in engineering the deal. Mr. Gannon proposes to issue park bonds for the purchase and rehabilitation of the grounds, which bonds can be met with a nominal special taxation.

HEN HOUSE AND BARN BURN

FIRE AT THE WILL SLOTHOWER HOME DOES CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE.

A barn and chicken house at the corner of Douglas avenue and Third street, owned by Will Slothower, were destroyed by fire at 2:30 this afternoon, the fire originating in the haymow. It is thought that boys playing with matches caused the fire, which threatened the house. A surrey, runabout, harness, several tons of hay and considerable feed were destroyed. Mr. Slothower was unable to estimate the loss, but stated that he is insured.

NOTED SURGEON HERE.

Dr. Chizlett, noted Chicago surgeon, was here today to perform an operation.

SENATOR PENROSE

In explaining how Mr. Archbold of the Standard Oil company came to pay him $25,000, Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania has stirred up a lot of charges and counter charges and the country is watching developments with interest.

BUD MARS MAKES SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

AT DEKALB PICNIC THURSDAY—HOWEVER, ENGINE DID NOT WORK WELL.

Bud Mars, aviator, made a successful flight at the Knights of Columbus picnic at DeKalb Thursday. His flight was witnessed by thousands of people.

Bud was in Dixon once upon a time, but he didn't fly. His engine was bad. The same engine didn't work very well at DeKalb and for that reason he had to come back to earth sooner than he intended. Mrs. Mars was with her husband at DeKalb and she was nervous all the time Bud was up in the air.

Bud wanted to make a second trip into the air, but because the engine was refusing to work well the management of the picnic refused to let the aviator make the second trip. Mrs. Mars was happy. So was Bud. However, Bud Mars is a nervy fellow.

SUNDAY'S GAME PROMISES EXCITEMENT

CAN DIXON STARS DEFEAT TEAM THAT PULLED 7 TO 5 SCORE FROM BROWNS?

Tomorrow afternoon's game between the Dixon Stars and the Forreston Independents promises to be one of exceptional interest inasmuch as it will give a little dope on the respective strength of the Stars and Browns. The Browns were defeated by the Forreston team by a score of 7 to 0. What will the Stars be able to do with the gang that pulled that score off the Browns? That question is uppermost in the minds of the fans and accordingly they will be out in force to see the fun.

Ladies will be admitted free, as usual, and the game will be called at 2:45 o'clock sharp, to allow the visitors to catch the northbound train. Huber and Keenan will work for the Stars, and the regular lineup will play.

RUNAWAY ON DEPOT AVENUE

TEAM DRAWING DIXON INN BUS FRIGHTENS AT TRAIN AND DASHES DOWN STREET

Depot avenue was enlivened last evening by a mad runaway, which, fortunately, resulted in no harm. The team drawing the Dixon Inn bus pulled a new stunt when, while standing at the depot, they became frightened at the Sterling passenger and turning dashed madly down the avenue. In vain they tried to negotiate the turn at Fifth street, and crashed into an iron hitching post, which threw them both to the ground. They were caught before they could get up and examination showed that the post was the only recipient of damage. It was twisted off at the sidewalk line.

HEARING MONDAY.

Monday morning at 9 o'clock the question of benefits on the North Ottawa avenue macadam project which has been passed by the city council, will be heard by a jury in Judge R. H. Scott's court.

FRANK H. FUNK SPEAKS WEDNESDAY

AT THE RACE MEET AT MINERAL SPRINGS PARK NEAR STERLING.

THREE DAYS OF GOOD SPORT

Many Fast Horses Will Race and Hundreds of Fancy Animals Will Be Exhibited.

Sterling will have three days of unparalleled sport, beginning next Wednesday, August 28, and ending on Friday, the 30th. This sport will consist in racing at Mineral Springs track. There will be dozens of entries from the largest stables in the country. In connection with the racing there will be a horse show, exhibiting fancy animals from the tiny Shetland pony to the giant draft animal.

There will be free attractions every day and the Sterling Military band will furnish music daily.

On Wednesday, the opening day, Senator Frank H. Fung of Bloomington, candidate for governor on the progressive state ticket, will deliver an address. Ladies and children will be admitted to the park free on the opening day.

Mineral Springs park has been improved and is today an ideal spot for a race meet. The management is arranging to care for many thousand people during the three days next week.

No doubt Dixon will be well represented.

"YOUNG OUTLAWS" KILL TURKS

GEO. W. FROST AT LEE CENTER TOWNSHIP WAS LOSER OF THANKSGIVING FOOD

Amboy News: George W. Frost, who lives on the old Brewer farm southeast of Lee Center, complains of having recently had fifteen young turkeys and an old one killed and three crippled by a band of young outlaws who have been in the habit of hunting in that neighborhood. He says he has good evidence as to who the parties are that have been doing this nefarious work but has not decided what steps he will take, as he dislikes to involve the good name of the families of the culprits in the matter. It would be a wise move for those interested to "come across" shortly.

DRENNER WANTS TO OPEN SALOON

FILES APPLICATION WITH CITY CLERK GROVER—LOCATION IN ASCHENBRENNER BUILDING.

Phil W. Drenner has filed with City Clerk Blake Grove an application for a license to conduct a dram shop in the new Aschenbrenner building on First street when it is completed. The presentation of the license to the council will doubtless precipitate a warm argument, as several of the commissioners have committed themselves to the policy of "no more saloons."

KREITER FARM BRINGS $14,500

LAND NEAR AMBOY SELLS WELL HAEFFNER WAS THE PURCHASER.

E. H. Kreiter sold his farm south of Amboy Wednesday to A. Haeffner of Compton for $14,500. The farm contains 134 acres. Mr. Kreiter has not decided what he will do. The deal was negotiated by Sidney Lazarus, the hustling real estate man of Compton. Mr. Lazarus has made a large number of important sales in this county during the past few weeks.

Illinois: Fair and warmer on Saturday; Sunday fair in the northern and cloudy in the southern portions; moderate south and southwest winds.

Sunrise, 5:06; sunset, 6:40; moonset, 1:37.

Social Happenings

AUGUST 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

Are dominating, persistent, determined to have your way; not always sincere. If not a scholar, you have a forceful, deep, ingenious way of carrying conviction with you. Can stand some flattery; have much executiv ability, and the faculty of looking out for yourself. Are determined and industriously work to gain your ends Fond of travel, and a great lover of music.

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

May have a fiery temper, but it is soon over. Can be led, but not driven Strong prychic power; energetic, aspiring, have no use for mediocrity demonstrative in affection, home loving, social, devoted to family, sometimes pessimistic. Very popular, particularly with those near you socially. Faithful to those you love; you are fond of travel and moving about

Guests at Drynan Home.

Mrs. Wm. Dir of Pasadena, Cal., and Mrs. Mary Potter of Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Elsasser of Sterling are spending a few days at the Robert Drynan home at Gap Grove.

Attended Picnic.

Circuit Clerk W. B. McMahan and wife, Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and Mrs. Nina Mathews drove to Amboy Thursday and attended the old settlers' picnic.

Entertained at Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stebbins, North Dixon, entertained at supper Thursday evening the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome B. Anderson, who are here from Pennsylvania for a brief visit.

At Sinnissippi.

A party of young people chaperoned by Mrs. S. S. Royer went to the Sinnissippi Heights last evening and enjoyed a "weenie" toast. The picnic was given in honor of Alta and Elva Mason, Irene Wooster, Evelyn July of Amboy, Edith Rutt of Prairieville and Lewis Squires of Chicago, who are spending the week end at the Royer home.—Sterling Gazett.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nagle of Woosung, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Fitzhenry and daughter, Evangeline, of Breda, Ia., Mrs. M. Murphy and daughter, Miss Catherine, of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Murphy of Dixon at dinner Wednesday.

At Rizner Home.

Mrs. Albert Glessner and Mrs. Edwin Lambert spent the day at the home of Mrs. F. B. Kennedy.

At Johnson Home.

Mrs. Ralph Johnson and daughter, Miss Myra, of Palmyra were entertained yesterday at the Howard Johnson home on Crawford avenue.

Motored to Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Leake and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leake of this city motored to Amboy Thursday and attended the old settlers' picnic.

Visited in Polo.

Misses Olive Shaw, Anza and Eva Lawton of Palmyra were delightfully entertained by Miss Stella Rinehart at her home in Polo Thursday.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhodes, South Dixon, and Mrs. Grant Lievan of Beloit, Kas., were entertained yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth on the Peoria road.

SLEEP

soundly and your chances to think soundly are decidedly improved at once. Regular repose

THAT RESTS

your tired body and weary brain is a necessity for health. In fact sleepless nights sap your strength while

YOU SHOULD

be enjoying life and your work. Others know the truth of that statement Their testimony and experience may

BE YOURS

if you care for them. If you want to rest as others do, see me while something can be done,

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,

Neurologist and Health Instructor,
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.
Only appointments secure prompt attention. Home phone 160

Entertains Relatives.

Mrs. Winnifred Frey is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Eimstad and daughter of Chicago. They will remain here for a week or more.

Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. Henry Kurtzrock of Palmyra was pleasantly surprised yesterday afternoon when a number of ladies from Palmyra gathered at her home to assist her in celebrating her birthday anniversary. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Visiting Brothers.

Miss Della Stiteley of Boston is here visiting with her brothers, F. E. Stiteley of Hennepin avenue, and Charles Stiteley of North Galena avenue.

Dixon Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnson of Eldena were in Dixon Thursday. Mrs. Johnson remained for a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Dave Emmert, of North Dixon.

Entertained.

Mrs. Columbus C. Buzzard, North Dixon, entertained a few friends at her home Thursday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Beulah Senneff of Palmyra.

Guests at Burkett Home.

Mrs. Luther Burkett, of the Franklin Grove road entertained yesterday Misses Katherine and Mary Joseph of Dixon.

Family Reunion.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhodes of South Dixon, was the scene of a happy family reunion yesterday when the members of the Wadsworth family to the number of forty gathered and enjoyed a picnic dinner. The deligatful affair was given for Mrs. Grant Lievan, who is here from Beloit, Kas. Those present were Fred Rhodes and family, Roy Wadsworth and family, Charles Wadsworth and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth, J. C. Wadsworth and family, Harrison Wadsworth, John W. Wadsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murray and family.

Entertained.

Mrs. A. W. Goodrich of 215 Madison avenue, entertained on Friday for her little grandson, Donald E Goodrich of Mt. Morris, who is here on a visit. Eight little friends greatly enjoyed the occasion. The children were served with delicious refreshments.

Returned to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snyder and son Fremont have returned to their home in Chicago after a short visit at the Jasper Hill and Dennis McBride homes. Little Mary Hill accompanied them back for a short visit.

Around the Lakes.

Paul Dixon, who has been spending the summer in Rockford, has joined his father in Chicago for a trip around the lakes before returning to school at Notre Dame.

Notice.

Society printing of all descriptions at the Telegraph office. Calling cards, correspondence cards, monogram stationery, cards expressing appreciation of kindness and sympathy shown in bereavement.

Leave Monday.

Mrs. Ray Goodrich and son, Donald E. Goodrich, who have been guests at the Goodrich home, 215 Madison avenue, will leave Monday for Mt. Morris.

Dined at Grandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Conners of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Watrus and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hutchinson motored to Grand Detour yesterday to dine. Mr. and Mrs. Conners are guests at the Watrus home.

Entertaining Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Trowbridge of Wauneta, Neb., are here visiting at at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. R. Trowbridge, 405 East Second street.

Returned Home.

Mrs. Mark Brown and daughter, Irma, returned home yesterday from a week's visit in Pool.

To Leave Dixon.

Mrs. Reynolds and daughter, Miss Marian, who has been spending the past six weeks at the Graybill lodge at Lowell park, will leave there on Sunday. Miss Marian will attend the artists' colony at Oregon for three weeks and Mrs. Reynolds will go to her home in Terre Haute, Ind.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The W. R. C. will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall.

Motored to Oregon.

Mrs. H. G. Reynolds is entertaining her two cousins from the east, and with her guests motored to Oregon today.

Entertains S. S. Class.

Mrs. W. C. Stauffer will entertain the girls of her Sunday school class of the Christian church this afternoon with a picnic at the Assembly park.

Miss Morris Visits East.

Miss Lucia Morris, who is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris, will visit her sister, Mrs. Margaret Morris Morgan, in Shields, Pa., before returning to Oregon.

At Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Herbert Kane are spending a few days at the Humphrey cottage in Grand Detour.

Returned from Vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman and son Samuel returned last evening after a week's visit in Naperville, this state. While there Mr. Lehman attended the Sunday school convention of the Brethren church.

Drove to Grand Detour.

Messrs. Frank Gorham, Glen Rynearson and Harry Seekman drove to Grand Detour last evening and attended the dance at Illini hall.

Supper at Suitsus.

Misses Helen Clark and Caroline Simonson and Hollis Drew and Robert Warner enjoyed supper at the Warner cottage, Suitsus, last evening and attended the dance at Illini hall.

A pleasant Surprise.

While Rev. and Mrs. S. Elwood Fisher and family were spending the evening at the Roy Wolber home on Peoria avenue last evening at about 8 o'clock, Mr. Fisher was called ot the 'phone and informed that a couple desiring his services were waiting at his home on North Crawford avenue. Mr. Fisher assured them he would attend to their wants as soon as he could get home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher hurried home, not even taking time to ride on the street car. When they arrived and entered the house they found instead of a couple, more than 100 of the members and friends of the Christian church had assembled and gained entrance to their home and were awaiting their arrival.

Mr. Fisher confessed that he had fallen a victim for the first time to such a surprise. After the guests had enjoyed themeslves for a time Dr. Kost, in a few well chosen words, presented Rev. and Mrs. Fisher with a handsome set of dishes. Ice cream of such good quality as only Ben Snyder can make and cake sufficient to feed a multitude was served to all present.

The guests then departed wishing their beloved pastor and family abundant success in his work in Dixon.

For two and a half years Rev. Fisher has been the able and efficient pastor of the Christian church in Dixon. During this time he has won the hearts of the people both in and out of the church by his able presentation and defense of gospel truth and his denunciation of such conditions as tend to lower the standard of morality in a community.

His able addresses on special occasions and his readiness to serve whenever his services might be beneficial to any, together with the congenial spirit of he and his family has created a desire of the people of Dixon for a long period of service among us.

A GUEST.

Drove to Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Countryman, Misess Judd and Johnson drove to Sterling last evening and called at the Wallick home.

Dixon Guests.

Mrs. Albert Ankeny and daughter of Davenport are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wagner at the Assembly park. They will be joined this evening by Mr. Ankeny, who has been in Chicago this week attending the convention of the hot-house plant growers and will visit here a couple of days.

Attended Dance.

Mr. and Mrs R. H. Espy, Miss Espy and guest, Miss Ettaway Henry of Oregon attended the dance at Illini hall last evening.

Scramble Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Noble, Mrs. Finney and Mrs. Theodore Fuller enjoyed a supper up the river last evening.

Attended Dance.

Misses Blanche and Olice Schmucker and Earl Buck and Ralph Bates, who are camping at Necedah lodge, attended the dance at Grand Detour last evening.

Dixon Guest.

Miss Theresa Nichols of Chicago is a guest at the Roy Self home for a few days.

At Prescott Home.

Mrs. William Murphy of Manlius will spend Sunday at the G. F. Prescott home.

To Visit in Sterling.

Miss Oma Drew has gone to Sterling to visit over Sunay at the Martin Grubb home.

Drove to Grand Detour.

Misses Bernice Morgan and Oma Drew and Millard Kishbaugh and Fred Earle drove to Grand Detour yesterday and attended the dance at Illini hall.

Candlelighters Picnic.

The Candlelighters of the Presbyterian church will have a boat ride and picnic at Lowell park Tuesday. The boat leaves the south side dock at 10 o'clock.

Trimmer Comes Tomorrow.

Miss Edna Brenman of Onawa, Ia. is expected to arrive here tomorrow to be trimmer for the fall season at the Bradley millinery store.

To Chicago.

Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Albert Hasselberg and Miss Edna Brenman will go to Chicago Monday. Mrs. Bradley and Miss Brenman will remain for a week to study the fall styles and buy supplies.

Six o'Clock Supper.

Mrs. Luella Campbell entertained last evening at 6 o'clock dinner for Mrs. Hugh Flannery and son Frank of Rockford.

Motor to Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Woolever will motor to Oregon in their launch tomorrow to spend the day.

Scramble Supper.

The girls of the telephone office enjoyed a scramble supper at Lowell park last evening, making the trip in Coe's launch.

Chicago Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kerr of Chicago are guests at the O. B. Dodge home.

G. A. R. Social.

An ice cream and cake social was given last evening on the beautiful lawn of Mrs. Coover's home at 224 Dement avenue, directed by Mrs. Bender, Mrs. Coover, Miss Santee and Mrs. Berard. The members of the G. A. R. circle and their friends were invited and a large crowd spent a most delightful evening there. The proceeds were give nto the treasury of the G. A. R. circle.

Visit Dixon.

E. J. Pittman and wife, Miss Lila Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McAllister of Sterling visited friends in Dixon last evening.

Family Reunion.

A reunion of the Drake family will be held tomorrow at the home of Henry Schmidt Jr. on North Crawford avenue. Some of the members of the family have arrived and others are expected to come today and tomorrow. The nine children of Fred Drake, some from California, Chicago, New York City and Iowa, will be present and the anticipations are for a very happy day together.

Leave on Visit.

Mrs. Mathias Levan and daughter Estella left Tuesday for an extended visit in Dakota and Iowa with relatives and friends.

MASON AND YATES IN EAST

PROMINENT ILLINOISANS WILL TALK FOR REPUBLICAN TICKET IN VERMONT.

Former Senator Wm. E. Mason and former Governor Richard Yates of Illinois will speak in Vermont for the republican ticket in the campaign that will end with the state election Sept. 3 according to announcement made in Wa ithsogn.nVBGKQJVBG made in Washington.

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City In Brief

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Paul W. Byers has returned from an extenedd visit with relatives in Sterling.

Fred Lawton of Palmyra was in this city today transacting business.

Charles Kilday and Pat Henry of Sterling were visiting here last evening.

For engraved calling cards visit the job department of the Telegraph.

Miss Mabel Boese has returned to her home after attending the insti-

Mrs. Graff is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital.

Mr. Cady of Chicago is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss.

Ed Spohn and Frank Zbinden of Sterling were visitors here yesterday.

Miss Bess Kreitzer of Rochelle will visit at her home in this city over Sunday.

A. P. Beede of route 1 was in Dixon today.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stift are out from Chicago for a week's visit with Mr and Mrs. Daniel Knapp.

Frank W. Eisensel and E. M. Swope of West Brooklyn were here today.

Ray Miller was in Walton yesterday on business.

Sam Loeffleman of Sublette was here yesterday.

Mrs. Alfos Marco returned to her home in Indianapolis after a two weeks' visit at the Klein home on Forest avenue.

Mrs. E. M. Goodsell is spending a couple of weeks visiting her parents at Clinton, Wis., and other relatives in Beloit.

Mrs. Priest of Rockford, who has been visiting in Dixon returned home today.

Frances Austin left today for Elgin.

Mrs. Sullivan and two children of Rockford, who have been visiting in Dixon with friends, returned home today.

Misses Mary and Nell Bresnahan have returned from a visit in Chicago.

Miss Helen Brown is out from Chicago for a few days.

Mr. Cogeshal returned today from Chicago.

Mrs. Ackert of South Dixon was in town yesterday.

Too Late To Classify

WANTED. A man and wife to move into my house and board me. Ira Coakley, 605 College Ave. 200 6*

LOST. At Old Settlers' picnic, Amboy probably in park, a black leather purse containing a sum of money and a gold ring. If finder will return the same to this office he will be suitably rewarded. F. D. Palmer, Phone 1059. 200 3*

FOR RENT. Maxwell house, 410 W. 2nd St. All modern. 8 room house 2 blocks from business. Enquire Mrs. S. S. Kaylor, 812 W. 1st. 200 3*

FOR RENT. Soper cottage, corner of West Chamberlain street & Squire avenue; 5 rooms, soft water, furnace heat. Possession Sept. 1. Inquire of owner, 305 West Chamberlain street. Phone No. 861. H. O. Soper. 200tf

FOR SALE. Three thoroughbred Hereford cows and one bull 19 months old. Chas. C. Murry, Sterling, Ill. Route 5. Inter-State Phone. 200 3*

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1 lot Ladies' and Misses' linen crash coats in belted and semi-fited effects. Values up to $9 in this assortment. Saturday special . . **3.98**

1 lot Ladies' and Misses' Summer Dresses in linen mull, lawns & ginghams. Values up to $7.50 included in this assortment. Sat. special . **3 98**

1 lot Ladies' white lawn waists Lace and embdy. trimmed high or low neck. Saturday special . . **49c**

Lot Ladies' lingerie waists, prettily trimmed with lace, embdy. and buttons. Values up to $1.75. Saturday special . . . **98c**

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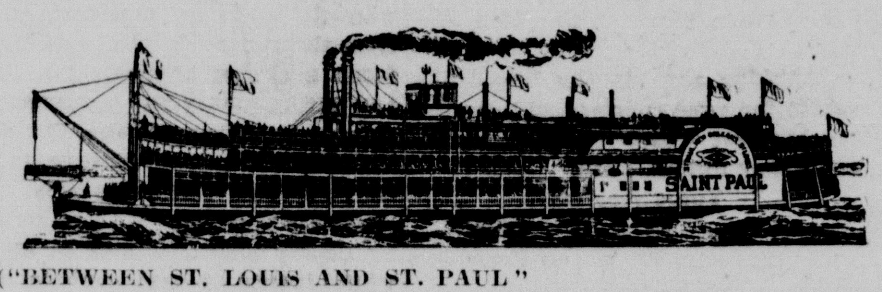

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DEMENTTOWN

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One would almost believe that he is the only clean man in politics.

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To digress, let us remark that Judge Farrand has some exclusive information on Amboy's superior features which he will gladly impart to all inquirers.

From the Mexican War.

Mexico City, Aug. 22.—Special — President Madero is going to resign tomorrow. He has said so himself.

Later—What President Madero actually did say was that he was just as liable to resign tomorrow as on any other day. Inasmuch as tomorrow never comes, it doesn't make a particle of difference what he did say.

The president is in feeble health. He ate three pounds of beefsteak for breakfast and walked 18 miles for a short constitutional before luncheon. It is rumored here that the president is going to die. He probably will. Most people do.

Somebody Must Be Sick.

(The following from the 'steamed News.)

Is Ill.

Miss Goldie Rizner is ill at her home on the Franklin Grove road.

Is Ill.

Joseph Castle of West Third street is ill.

Is Ill.

Mrs. James H. Bennett of the Bend is ill.

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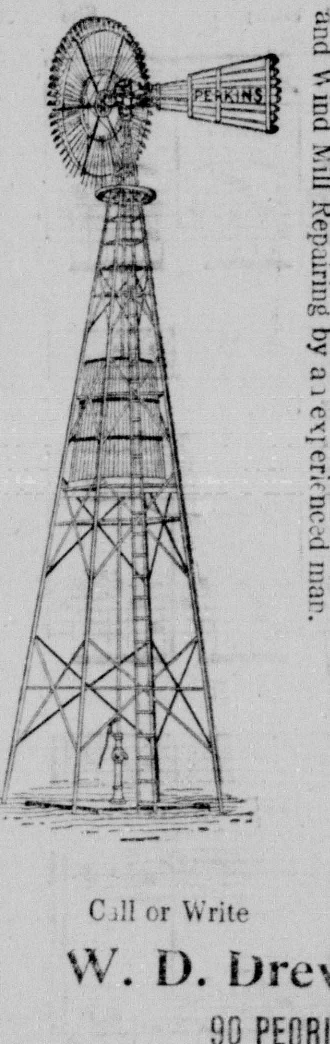

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STALELESS BREAD FOUND

War Department's New Loaf Will Keep for Ages.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The war department has discovered a method of baking bread by which it will last longer than the wheat which is dug out of the tombs of the Pharaohs or the cakes in the sepulcher which were baked by Mrs. Phthau. A two-pound loaf baked at the local arsenal was served at the war department in the office of General Wood, chief of staff. The secret is in the crust. The bread is baked all around with a thick brown envelope, so there is no chance for the entry of germs of mold or decay.

Mrs. Clarence Mackay Hurt.

Pittsfield, Mass., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, society leader and prominent suffragette, was thrown from her automobile and rendered unconscious on Monument mountain in the Berkshires.

Senate Confirms Torbet.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The senate confirmed the appointment of Lewis K. Torbet as naval officer, attached to the customs service at Chicago. The position carries a salary of $5,000.

DAUGHTER IMPROVES.

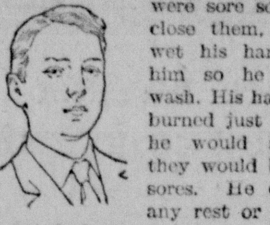
Deputy Sheriff R. R. Phillips this morning received word from the hospital at Compton to the effect that his daughter, Mary, is now able to sit up, and that she was able to stand on her feet for a short time today.

Mrs. Harvey is a patient at the hospital.

HANDS ITCHED AND BURNED

So Sore Could Not Close Them. Started With Rash. Just Terrible. Broke Into Sores. Could Not Sleep. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured Him Entirely.

Abbotsford, Wis.—"My son had eczema on his hands for about one year. The eczema started with a rash. His hands were sore so he could not close them, and when he wet his hands they hurt him so he could hardly wash. His hands itched and burned just terrible and if he would scratch them, they would break out into sores. He could not get any rest or sleep, and his hands looked quite bad.



"We had medicine and salve and it kept getting worse all the time. I got some Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after washing his hands with the Cuticura Soap and putting some of the Cuticura Ointment on two times a day and tying cloths on them for about six months they got well and have not broken out since. Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured him entirely." (Signed) Mrs. Laurence Kiehl, Feb. 13, 1912.

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COL. ROOSEVELT SAYS ARCHBOLD'S TESTIMONY FALSE

Declares Accusations are Base Calumnies of Cornelius N. Bliss.

OIL MAN TELLS OF $125,000

Testifies Before Senate Campaign Investigating Body of Standard Company's Contribution to 1904 Battle—Penrose Also Hit by Ex-President.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Colonel Roosevelt sat on the porch at Sagamore Hill and dictated a statement in reply to the testimony of John D. Archbold before the senate investigating committee.

He reiterated his declaration that he knew nothing of a contribution by Mr. Archbold or the Standard Oil company to the Republican campaign of 1904; declared that he did not "for one moment believe that Mr. Archbold's testimony is truthful"; charged Mr. Archbold with a "wicked assault on a dead man"; added that during many calls which Mr. Archbold made upon him while he was president to urge him not to prosecute the Standard Oil company, Mr. Archbold never referred to any contribution to his campaign fund, and concluded with the suggestion that the senate committee should make Mr. Archbold and Senator Penrose testify at once concerning their relations while Mr. Penrose was a member of the industrial commission.

In his last word Colonel Roosevelt thanked both Messrs. Archbold and Penrose for "making it clear beyond possibility of doubt that I am the man the Penroses and Archbolds of the country most dread in public life."

Archbold Tells of $125,000 Gift.

Washington, Aug. 24.—John D. Archbold, considered the political manager and directing genius of the Standard Oil company, told the senate committee investigating campaign funds that the Standard Oil company's $125,000 contribution to the Republican war chest of 1904 was made upon assurances from Cornelius N. Bliss that "the contribution was acceptable to Colonel Roosevelt and that further contributions would be acceptable."

"I told Mr. Bliss we did not want to make the contribution unless it was to be gratefully received," he said. "Mr. Bliss told us of Mr. Roosevelt's attitude toward business and said he believed Mr. Roosevelt would be a fair and conservative man when it came to the test. Mr. Bliss urged that the policies of the Republican party were the safest for business. We felt that our interests as a business organization lay on the Republican side and we decided to make this contribution."

Due Warning From Bliss.

Later, when Mr. Bliss asked the Standard Oil for more money—about $150,000—Mr. Archbold said the board of directors refused to contribute. He quoted Mr. Bliss as saying:

"I speak to you personally; I think you had better make this contribution. If you don't somebody else will."

When the bureau of corporations began making adverse reports on the Standard Oil company, Mr. Archbold said, Mr. Bliss admitted that the government's attacks were unjust, but said he had no influence with Mr. Roosevelt.

When the Standard Oil magnate was asked if he thought the company's refusal to contribute further was the cause of the "unjust" government attack, he bit his lips and said: "Well, I don't know."

Consider Summoning Roosevelt.

When Mr. Archbold finished his testimony several members of the committee conferred on the advisability of inviting Colonel Roosevelt to testify. Mr. Penrose wishes the committee to subpoena the colonel. Mr. Archbold's testimony was regarded of such importance that it was decided to call William Rockefeller, if his health will permit, and to recall George B. Cortelyou, Republican national chairman in 1904, who appeared before the committee July 11 and could not recall that any contributions from corporations were used in the Roosevelt campaign. Mr. Cortelyou also testified at that time that he had never heard of a contribution by Mr. Archbold or anyone "on his behalf."

Penrose Gives His Testimony.

Senator Penrose was a witness before the committee following Archbold. He introduced into the record the statement regarding the $25,000 contribution to the Pennsylvania campaign fund of 1904 by Archbold and the contribution of $100,000 to the national compaign fund, which he had previously made in the senate. He said he had practically nothing to add to that, but would answer any questions.

Senator Penrose's testimony was brief. At its conclusion the committee adjourned and it was announced that George W. Perkins of New York would appear next Tuesday.

Chairman Clapp was in communication with New York city over the long distance telephone and it was said he had been discussing with some one there the probability of Colonel Roosevelt appearing. The nature of his conversation could not be learned.

Hot One for Senator Penrose.

New York, Aug. 24.—Colonel Roosevelt here declared that "Senator Penrose's statement that George W. Perkins underwrote my primary expenses for $3,000,000, or any sum even remotely resembling it, is a deliberate and wilful falsehood, which he knows to be such, when he makes it.

"Mr. Penrose," he added, "would do well not to attribute to others the infinite baseness which actuates himself."

Colonel Roosevelt dictated the foregoing.

"The statement that the letters and telegrams to Mr. Cortelyou," the statement continues, "were written for the purpose of going into the record and were not genuine and were not accepted by Mr. Cortelyou as genuine, is a deliberate and wilful falsehood and Senator Penrose knows it to be such when he makes it.

Two Letters and a Telegram.

"My first letter, written as soon as I heard a rumor that the Standard Oil people had contributed, and explicit and unequivocal in its terms, was written on October 26; my second letter, if possible even more emphatic, October 27. Not hearing from the letters, I wired October 29. I then received from Mr. Cortelyou a statement that my wishes would be complied with and that no contribution from the Standard Oil people had been or would be received.

"If any such contribution was received it was not only without my knowledge but against my explicit direction. These letters speak for themselves. They went into the records, of course, but they went into the records because they were genuine and bore on their face the proof that they were genuine, and because I receivd the assurance that they were accepted in the spirit in which I wrote them.

"The reason that Mr. Penrose and his political allies and his backers and masters in the world of finance are against me now is because they and their kind could not use me while I was president.

"I count myself honored by his opposition and I count that opposition as a certificate of character for the Progressive party, for it shows that the Progressive party, and only the Progressive party and the leaders of the Progressive party, are the foes really dreaded by the Penroses in our public life."

Says Knox Story Is False.

Colonel Roosevelt was asked specifically about a story which set forth that Philander C. Knox, now secretary of state, had entered his office when he was signing one of the Cortelyou letters and had informed him that his instructions to Mr. Cortelyou were useless, as the Standard Oil money had already been spent. The story went on to say that Colonel Roosevelt remarked that his letters "should go into the record."

"That is another absolute and wilful falsehood," said the colonel.

VANDERBILT BALL ELEGANT

Fancy Dress Function Most Extravagant Affair of Newport Society.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 24.—The fancy dress ball which Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt gave at their splendid residence, Beaulieu, will go down in history as the most extravagant affair of its kind ever seen in Newport. Its whole tone and color was of the effete east; distinctly oriental. The dance cost $75,000. They estimate, too, that the women whose grace and beauty adorned the occasion wore $10,000,000 worth of jewels.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	81	36	.693	Detroit	56	65	.463
Wash'ton	74	45	.622	Cleveland	52	65	.444
Phil'el'ia	69	46	.600	New York	40	75	.348
Chicago	59	57	.510	St. Louis	37	79	.319

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	80	33	.708	Cincin'ati	53	62	.461
Chicago	75	38	.664	St. Louis	50	64	.438
Pittsburg	67	47	.587	Brooklyn	42	72	.368
Phil'el'ia	54	57	.486	Boston	32	80	.286

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Min'ap'is	86	47	.647	Mil'aukee	63	68	.481
Columbus	85	49	.634	St. Paul	62	74	.456
Toledo	78	54	.591	Louisville	49	85	.366
Kan. City	64	69	.481	Ind'ap'lis	47	88	.348

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Denver	74	51	.592	Lincoln	62	62	.500
St. Joe	67	55	.549	Sioux City	61	63	.492
Omaha	70	55	.560	Wichita	57	68	.456
D. Moines	61	61	.500	Topeka	43	80	.350

THREE EYE LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Spr'gf'ld	74	32	.692	Decatur	52	59	.468
D'v'np'rt	64	47	.576	Dubuque	50	63	.442
Quincy	57	56	.504	Bl'm'gt'n	46	65	.415
Danville	53	55	.491	Peoria	46	65	.415

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
F. Wayne	71	47	.602	Canton	59	60	.496
Erie	70	48	.593	Akron	55	62	.470
Y'gstown	67	50	.573	G. Rapids	52	60	[illegible]
Spr'gf'ld	65	51	.560	T. Haute	54	66	.450
Dayton	64	53	.547	Zanesville	46	73	.386
Wheeling	59	55	.518	So. Bend	40	77	.342

WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Oshkosh	67	42	.615	Green Bay	51	57	.472
Racine	64	42	.604	Rockford	50	57	.467
Appleton	61	44	.581	Aurora	43	65	.398
Wausau	56	55	.505	Madison	41	70	.270

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Club.	W.	L.	P.C.	Club.	W.	L.	P.C.
Ottumwa	71	45	.612	Galesburg	59	57	.509
Kewanee	67	48	.583	Hannibal	59	57	.509
B'rl'gt'n	[illegible]	51	.557	Keokuk	44	70	.386
M'nm'uth	64	54	.542	M'scatine	38	83	.278

Scores of Friday's Games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, 2; Chicago, 4.

Boston, 5; Cleveland, 1.

Philadelphia-St. Louis, postponed; wet grounds.

Washington, 8; Detroit, 1 (first game); Washington, 6; Detroit, 4 (second game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 1; New York, 2 (first game, ten innings); Pittsburg, 2; New York, 3 (second game).

No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul, 12; Louisville, 4.

Milwaukee, 3; Columbus, 7.

Kansas City, 1; Toledo, 3.

Minneapolis-Indianapolis, no game scheduled.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Wichita, 6; Omaha, 13.

Sioux City, 4; Lincoln, 5.

St. Joe, 11; Topeka, 4.

Denver, 7; Des Moines, 6.

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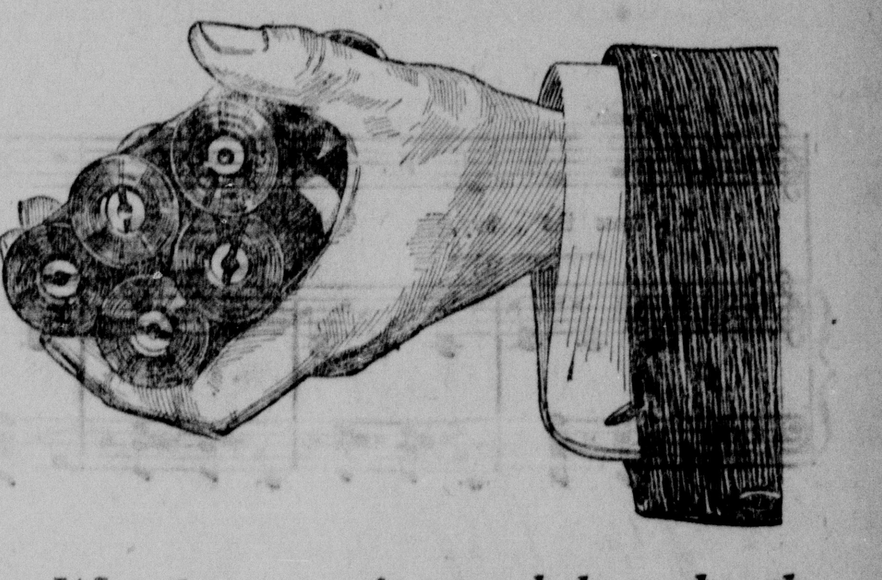

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WOMEN JURORS

States Attorney Wayman says a miscarriage of justice was done in the acquittal of Mrs. Bernstein, who was accused of shooting her husband twice in the back while he lay asleep The state's attorney claims that the spirit of chivalry men feel toward the fair sex prevents their giving a verdict which the law and the evidence would require. He now looks forward to the placing of women on juries. He believes they would be less swayed by sentiment in such cases, and women criminals would be tried on their merits.

It is difficult to see just how this would be a panacea, however, for a larger portion of the criminals who are brought to trial, are males. If sex considerations supplant those of son, would not many male criminal be set free by women?

STANDS BY PRIMARY

State Journal: Senator Jonathan Bourne is a progressive from the state of Oregon. In the recent primary election in that state, he was defeated for renomination, but it is charged that the election was unfairly conducted, and friends are urging him to become an independent candidate.

Mass conventions for putting Bourne in nomination already have been held; he has been given every assurance that he can be elected, but the Oregon senator is not impressed with this movement in his behalf. His progressiveness does not partake of the character of the so-called Illinois progressives who are concerned with the spite ticket movement in this state. He believes in standing by the primaries and he has so written his Oregon friends. He says:

"Unless it can be conclusively shown that the nomination of Mr. Selling was accomplished by fraud, or by such extravagant use of money by his friends as to amount to a violation of the corrupt practices act, I shall abide by the verdict of the primaries. I they made a mistake, that is their lookout. It is murh more important that the primary law be upheld than it is that I or any other man be elected to the senate."

Contrast this declaration with the conduct of Illinois men who, without casting a suspicion upon the honesty or fairness of the Illinois primary, are now trying to defeat its nominees with candidates chosen by a handful of disappointed Chicago polticians. Contrast Bourne's ringing defense of the primary with the contemptible excuse which is offered for the attack upon it in Illinois!

MRS. LAFOLLETTE'S DISENT

Mrs. LaFollette is out in an attack on the woman suffrage position of Roosevelt, which is taken to mean that Roosevelt cannot make himself acceptable to the LaFollettes, even when warring for progressivism and the suffrage. Possibly Roosevelt did not say all that was in his mind in upholding the suffrage cause, but he favored it for one thing because it would broaden the world for women. This opens the way for Mrs. LaFollette's attack, in which she call on the world to understand that some questions would be immediately placed on a diierent plane if the electorate were enlarged to include the view point of women. She specifives:

"Working women have the same need to combine for protection as working men have. The ballot is as necessary for one as for the other We do not believe that with two sexes there is identity of function. We do believe there would be equality of right if women could vote. It would strengthen the hands of the endeavoring to deal in an efficient fashion with such evils as the white slave traffic, and the widespread publication of names of owners and landlords of houses used for immoral purposes."

In the explanations which appeal to the LaFollette family for not upholding the cause of the progressives and the cause of sugrage by supporting Roosevelt it is suspected that the real reason has not yet come out, in any public way at least.

NUT CROP IS SMALL

Nuts of all kinds, hickory nuts, walnuts, hadelnuts and butternuts are going to be scarce in this locality this fall, according to persons who gather then usually and who have been investigating this year's harvest. Hickory nuts, it is said, in proportion to the number of trees, are to bear the scarcest of the four kinds of nuts common in this section Hazelnuts and butternuts are scarce every season, owing to the limited number of bushes and trees. Though there are not many walnut trees, they yield bounteously almost every year. Last year there was a bumper harvest of them and this year the trees are fairly well loaded. What hickory nuts there are, are wormy, and many of them are already dropping from the trees. This is especially true of the younger trees. As a general rule there is a bountiful harvest of nuts every second year: Last year's harvest was a heavy one and this year's light one is not to be wondered at.

FOR SATURDAY

Special Bargains in Our Ready-to-wear Department

25 Ladies' Sweater Coats, values from $2.50 to 3.50—all sizes; colors red, white, green, your choice - - - $2.19

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New Fall and Winter Suits, Coats, Dresses and Skirts arriving every day

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MARKSMEN ORGANIZE

Sterling, Aug. 24—New Bedford marksmen have formed a gun club of sixty members and plan holding a series of tournaments and will also challenge other clubs in this vicinity.

TRIP TO ALASKA.

Mrs. Leonard Andrus, formerly of this city, now of Portland, Ore., recently returned from a trip to Alaska.

L. B. Miller came home from Chicago today.

Herman Fredericks and Will Andres of Prairieville were in Walton yesterday.

TO OREGON RACES.

W. J. McAlpine, Cal Crawford, Lem Whipple and Frank Messer went to Oregon to attend the races. The trip was made in the McAlpine automobile.

IS RECOVERING.

Robert Knight has recovered sufficiently from his recent operation to be removed from the hospital to his home in North Dixon.

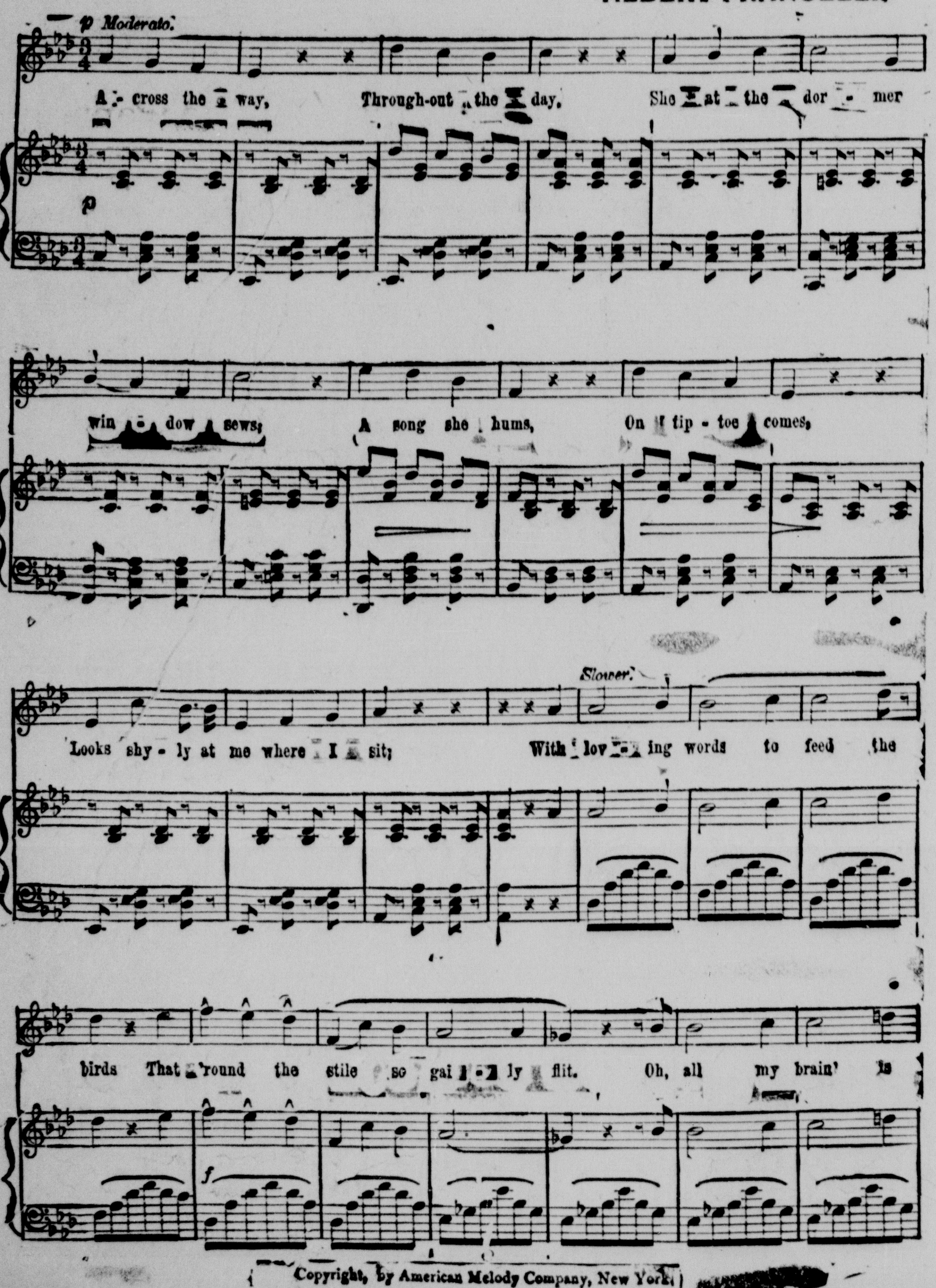
NO SERVICES AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

There will be no services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow. Sabbat school at 12 o'clock.

C. C. Rorick returned home from Chicago today.

ACROSS THE WAY.

ALBERT FRANCELLI.



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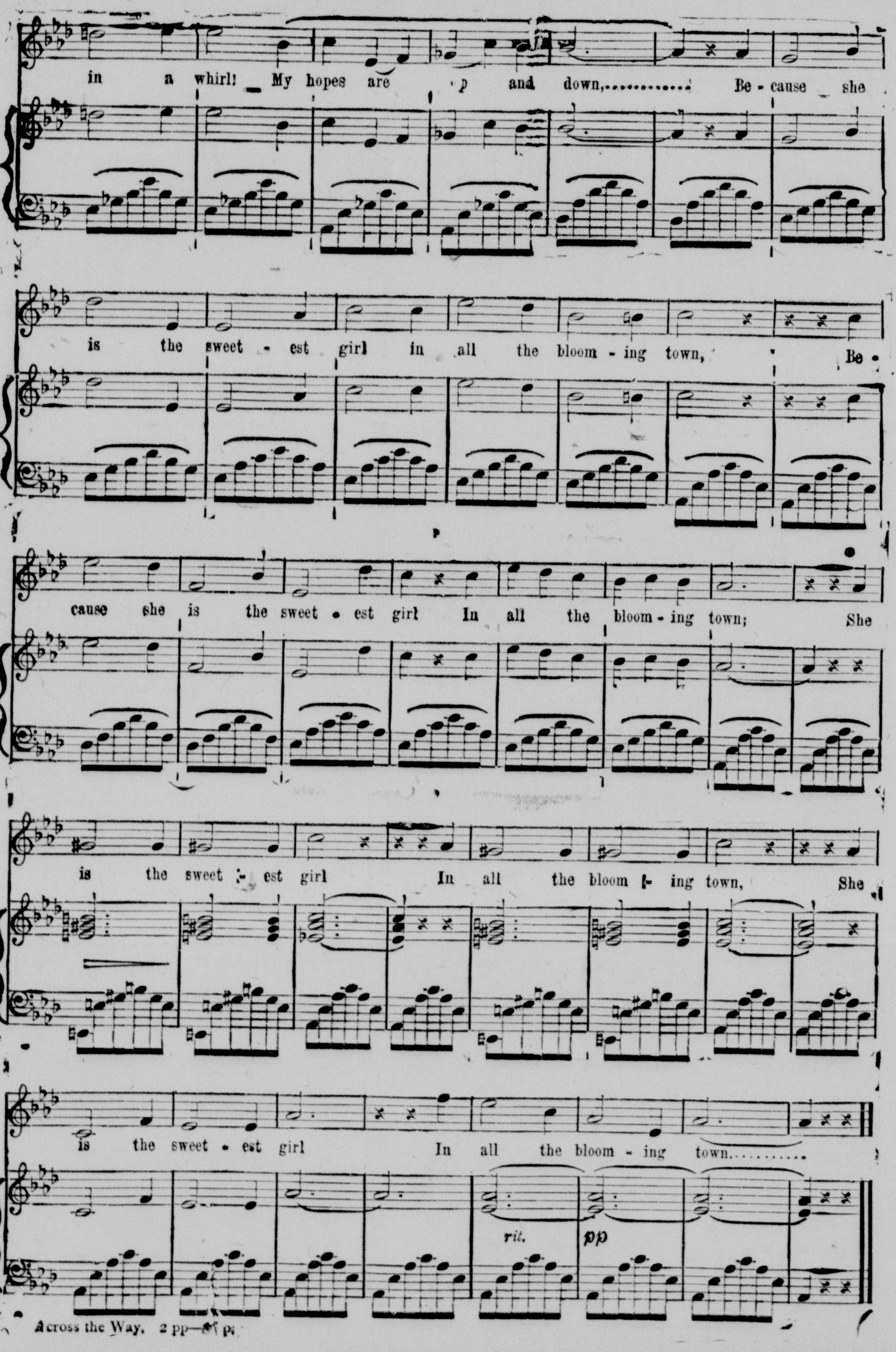

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TREASURER MEDICAL SOGIETY ASKS FUNDS

DR. J. A. MARKLEY OF BELVI DERE MAKES DEMAND.

AMOUNT INVOVLED IS $15,000

Demand Has Been Made on Chairman of Board of Council of Illinois State Medical Society.

Doctors throughout the state who are members of the Illinois State Medical society are watching the out come of the demand that has been made against the board of council for turning over the funds of the society to Dr. J. A. Markley of Belvidere, who was elected treasurer at the state convention held at Springfield in May. The board will be asked to show cause why the fund has not been placed in the hands of the new treasurer, and unless it is soon forthcoming, it is said court action will be taken.

Fund Amounts to $15,000.

It is understood that Dr. Markley's predecessor, Dr. Everett J. Brown of Decatur, was ready to turn over the fund, which amounts to about $15,000, but the transfer is said to have been held up by the state council.

Dr. Markley has now made a demand on Carl E. Black of Jacksonville, chairman of the board of council, for the fund. This is said to have been a notice that Dr. Black must act or he will be cited to appear in court to show why the funds are not forthcoming.

Insurgents vs. Standpatters.

The long time that has elapsed since election and the funds not having been transferred is said to be some of the members to inquire into the delay. They see it is an outbreak between two factions of the society, the insurgents and the standpatters. The insurgents carried off many of the positions at the state convention, including the election of Dr. Markley, to the chagrin, it is said, of the standpatters, and those who were in office are believed to be holding off giving control simply to annoy the insur ents.

The Springfield convention was an interesting session, but it is said that the next annual meeting to be held at Peoria will be filled with many thrills. Five thousand physicians are members of the state society at present.

THE BRIGHTER OUTLOOK.

Now that the price of meat has gone a-soaring once more, with but the faintest prospect that at an early date it will come down, it is at least pleasant to recall that there are some bright spots on the comestible horizon. For the current year the high cost of living has been not merely because there is a scarcity of meats but in a large degree because there has also been a shortage of vegetable products and of grain. But for the year 1912 the crop prospects are most flattering and satisfactory, and lower prices for grain may eventually result in reduction of the price of meats.

The August bulletin of the United States department of agriculture, which was issued last Saturday, contains many facts and figures of most consoling nature. Compared with the year 1911 or with a ten-year average practically every grain in the country shows a condition much above the normal, the sole exception being of winter wheat, which was injuriously affected by the unfavorable conditions of the autumn of a year ago. Reckoned on a minimum of one hundred points, the average condition of spring wheat on Aug. 1 was 90.4 per cent, 59.8 per cent in 1911 and 80.3 for a ten year average. On this basis the spring wheat crop of the country should be a half greater than it was last year. Corn this year stands at 80.0 against 69.6 in 1911; oats at 90.3 against 59.8 a year ago; barley at 89.1 against 66.2; buckwheat at 88.4 against 82.9; potatoes 87.8 against 62.3, and 84.8 for the ten-year average; hay at 91.0 against 64.6, and apples at 65.8 as against 53.9.

Put into figures of bushels and tons, the above estimates are almost staggering. They will mean that the United States will produce 2,811,000,000 bushels of corn, 390,000,000 bushels of winter wheat, 290,000,000 bushels of spring wheat, 1,207,000,000 bushels of oats, and 202,000,000 bushels of barley, 35,000,000 bushels of rye, 16,000,000 bushels of buckwheat and 23,000,000 bushels of rice; while for good measure there are 980,000,000 bushels of potatoes and 73,000,000 tons of hay. Equally divided among the people of the country, this would provide 55 bushels of grain to each person and 10¼ bushels of potatoes to each individual.

With figures such as these for early August and with every prospect that the outlook will improve, as it has since July 1, we should possess our souls with patience, looking forward hopefully to the lower prices which with the bumper crops of the year 1912 should certainly prevail.

REMAINS TRUE TO INSTINCT

True It Is That a Sheep May Become a Wolf, but Never a Wolf Becomes Sheep.

One Sunday at the house of Anatole France, they were talking of the admirable romance he had just published. "The Gods are Thirsty." M. Paul Souday expressed in the warmest terms the enthusiasm with which this work had inspired him. Above all he vaunted the character of "Evariste Gamdin," whom a false revolutionary philanthropy had transformed from a bleating sheep to a devouring wolf.

A Russian lady, who was present, said she knew of wolves that had become sheep. "The Prince Troubetzkoi," she said, "has two of them. He brought them from Russia. They had been tamed and he led them in a leash like greyhounds. You know that he is a vegetarian. He has imposed this diet upon his beasts. He feeds them vegetables and salads."

"In fact," then said Anatole France. "I met him the other day with his wolves of which you speak, in the street. He had stopped before a fruit stand and he was plundering a basket of carrots to regale his beasts."

"That is an excellent example for vegetarianism," said the lady. "Seduced by such an example, I acquired a wolf and fed him myself. But I feared that he would fade away. But as I did not intend to renounce my vegetarian ideas I continued to make him nibble fruits and roots in public while at home, secretly I gave him fresh meat. In this way I was able to keep him for some time. He died a while ago. I do not understand how Prince Troubetzkoi succeeds in keeping his wolves. I suspect he employed the same method as myself."

"In short," said Anatole France, "one often finds sheep that become wolves, but never wolves that become sheep."
—Le Cri de Paris.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

The Family theatre will reopen with high class vaudeville on Monday, August 26th and Manager Michelstetter, who has recently returned from a business trip to Chicago, where he consulted his booking agents, claims that he has made a very careful selection of acts for the entertainment of the many patrons of his cozy Family theatre, and nothing will appear in the house but the most carefully censored features during his regime as manager of same.

For the first half of the week the program will include the Famous Mabelle Fonda Troupe, a scenic juggling novelty. As an extra attraction, the Richmond Trio of Harmony Singers of unusual excellence. Both of these acts come direct from the leading vaudeville houses in the metropolitan cities and will be seen for the first time during their engagement at the Family.

Commencing Friday, August 29th, another bill of excellence has been selected, including the Four Bruns Sisters, in a refined instrumental and singing novelty. Schulte & Keene in a singing and talking specialty of exceptional merit.

Manager Michelstetter has completely renovated his theatre after the summer season of pictures and is pleased to guarantee his patrons the same courteous treatment in the future that they have received in the past.

NOTED ACTOR COMING

Rogers Baker, who will be seen here in the role of Heinie Schultz supporting Sarah Padden in "Kindling" is well known for his creditable work in some of the biggest dramatic successes of the decade. Among the plays in which he has appeared in the leading roles are The Christian, The Pit, The Pride of Jennico, and Daughters of Men. He is an actor of exceptional ability and in his present part has one of the most appealing roles of his career. The date for "Kindling" in this city it September 4th.

COPPINS' COMMERCIAL COLLEGE NOTES

Harry Hogan of this city is spending a few days at the Oregon fair.

Roy Glessner of Eldena was here Sunday.

Dixon, with its many favored spots for vacation days, draws many of the former students to renew friendships and enjoy nature.

H. C. Hoffman of South Dakota, has entered the employ of a large hardware firm as stenographer and bookkeeper at a salary of $100 per month.

One of our young women employed in a nearby city has decided that to become the queen of the home is more lofty than to be queen of the office. Therefore she resigns. Announcement will be made later.

Perry Ward is very favorably located with the Illinois Northern Utilities company at Mendota.

Miss Coleman of Polo called recently to make arrangements for further work in school. She has been ill during the summer.

Howard Dee of Bureau county was here recently, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Fike, who will enter school in the fall with Howard.

The telephone and mails are daily bringing many inquiries concerning school work for September 2, the opening day.

Miss Eula Buck, stenographer for the Vantine Wagon company of Davenport, is still showing her interest her friends who are contemplating a course in business training.

Among those who finished the normal work and have schools are Miss Ulrich, Lee Center; Miss Sells, New Bedford; Guy Conlon, New Bedford; Miss Wolcott, Amboy.

The opening day for the year of 1912-'13 will be Monday, Sept. 2. Students are expected to call at the office that day and make arrangements for their work, which will begin regularly on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock.

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Osteopathy is not understood by many people. It is reasonable and scientific. I do not claim to cure every case of every disease. No method of healing ever has, but Osteopathy cures many diseases that other methods have failed on and has cured and will cure most diseases Where one Osteopath fails probably another can cure the case. Why drag out a weary, painful or nervous existence when you can be relieved? Osteopathy will probably cure you. Don't let prejudice stand in your way. I do not give rough treatment.

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DR. C. E. STEWART, Osteopath.

Office hours: 9:30 to 12; 1:30 to 5; Saturday, 7 to 8:30 p. m. Calls made in city or country. 99 3

Kilts Are Coming.

The side plaits that have been so cleverly introduced into the skirts this summer are merely advance agents of the kilted skirt that is coming back. Oh, it will not be the all-enveloping arrangement of heavy folds, but will fall from a fitted yoke around the hips.

Already are very exclusive models being designed for soft silks that exemplify the idea yet are unobtrusive in the change of style.

You are not really surprised? The fullness at the hips has been so insistent that we must accept the change philosophically, remembering that it is the rule of fashionland.

SARAH PADDEN IN "KINDLING" AT OPERA HOUSE THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH.

Costume for Outings.

For the majority of the popular out-of-door sports as well as for general morning wear, the best costume for the traveler maiden to take in her trunk is a separate tailored skirt of light-weight worsted and to go with it a collection of severely plain shirts. This costume will be convenient for tramping, for rainy weather sightseeing and for any rough side trips which may unexpectedly be arranged.

In Dreams.

"I know Charley enjoyed being a delegate at the convention," said young Mrs. Torkins.

"How?"

"I heard him talking in his sleep and some of the language he used was exactly the same as that which he employs at a baseball game."

John Dodge is expected today to spend the week end at the O. B. Dodge home in this city.

Mrs. Woolever and daughter, Miss Hazel, will go to Chicago next week to purchase the winter supplies in millinery.

F. M. Regan left yesterday for Chicago, after a three days' visit at Dixon.

Miss Sadie Keenan left today for Harmon, where she will teach school for a year.

Misses Keane and O'Malley went to Chicago Thursday to buy goods for the fall millinery season.

Mrs. Sam Lenox of Palmyra was here yesterday.

MINERAL SPRINGS
Sterling, Illinois

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday,

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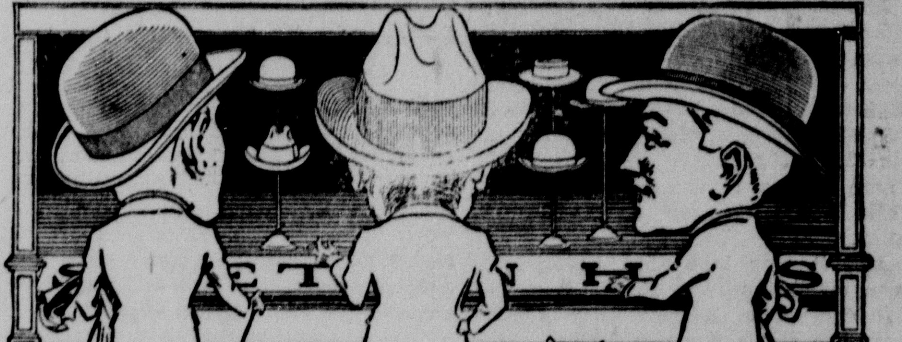

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Soft Hats in colors to match your suit—
Stiff Hats in very nobby styles—
Cloth hats for early fall wear—

VAILE AND O'MALLEY

CHAPTER I.

The Man With Wings.

For many hours—Cayley was too much of a god today to bother with the exact number of them—he had been flying slowly northward down a mild southerly breeze. Hundreds of feet below him was the dazzling, terrible expanse of the polar ice pack which shrouds the northern limits of the Arctic ocean in its impenetrable veil of mystery.

A compass, a sextant, a bottle of milk and a revolver comprised, with the clothes he wore, and with the shimmering silken wings of his aeroplane, his whole equipment. His nearest base of supplies, if you could call it that, was a 20-pound tin of pemmican, hidden under a stone on the north east extremity of Herald island, 300 miles away. The United States rescue station at Point Barrow, the extreme northerly point of Alaska, the place which he had called home for the past three months, was possibly, half as far again away, somewhere off to the southeast.

But for these past weeks of unbroken arctic sunshine, he had fairly lived a-wing. The earth had no obstructions and the air no perils. Today, with his great broad fan-tail drawn up arc-wise beneath him, his planes pitched slightly forward at the precise and perilous angle that only just did not send him plunging, headfirst, down upon the sullen masses of ice below, he lay there, prone, upon the sheep-skin sleeping bag which padded the frame-work supporting his two wings, as secure as the great fulmar petrel which drew curiously near, and then, with a wheel and a plunge, fled away, squawking.

For all practical purposes Cayley had learned to fly. The great fan-driven air ship, 100 feet from tip to tip, which had long lain idle on his ranch at Sandoval, would probably never leave its house again. It had done yeoman service. Without its powerful propellers, for the last resource, Cayley would never have been able to try the experiments and get the practise which had given him the air for his natural element. He had outgrown it. He had no more need of motors or whirling fans. The force of gravity, the force of the breeze and the perfectly co-ordinated muscles of his own body gave him all the power he needed now.

Perhaps the succeeding generations of humankind may develop an eye which can see ahead when the body is lying prone, as a bird lies in its flight. Cayley had remedied this deficiency with a little silver mirror, slightly concave, screwed fast to the crossbrace which supported his shoulders. Instead of bending back his head, or trying to see out through his eyebrows, he simply cast a backward glance into this mirror whenever he wanted to look on ahead. It had been a little perplexing at first, but he could see better in it now than with his unaided eyes.

And now, a minute or two, perhaps, after that fulmar had gone squawking away, he glanced down into his mirrow, and his olympian calm was shaken with the shock of surprise. For what he saw, clearly reflected in his little reducing glass, was land. There was a mountain, and a long dark line that must be a clifflike coast.

And it was land that never had been marked on any chart. In absolute degrees of latitude he was not, from the arctic explorer's view, very far north. Over on the other side of the world they run excursion steamers every summer nearer to the pole than he was at this moment. Spitzbergen, which has had a permanent population of 15,000 souls, lies 300 miles farther north than this uncharted coast which Philip Cayley saw before him.

But the great ice cap which covers the top of the world is irregular in shape, and just here, northward from Alaska, it juts its impenetrable barrier far down into the Arctic sea. Rogers, Collinson and the ill-fated De-Long—they all had tried to penetrate this barrier, and had been turned back.

Cayley wheeled sharply up into the wind, and soared aloft to a height of, perhaps, a quarter of a mile. Then, with a long, flashing, shimmering sweep, he descended, in the arc of a great circle, and hung, poised, over the land itself and behind the jutting shoulder of the mountain.

The land was a narrow-necked peninsula. Mountain and cliff prevented him from seeing the immediate coast on the other side of it; but out a little way to sea he was amazed to discover open water, and the smoke-like vapor that he saw rising over the cliffhead made it evident that the opening extended nearly, if not quite, to the very land's edge. It was utterly unexpected, for the side of the peninsula which he had approached was ice-locked for miles.

He would have towered again above the rocky ridge which shut off his view, and gone to investigate this phenomenon at closer range, had he not, just then, got the shock of another surprise, greater than the discovery of land itself.

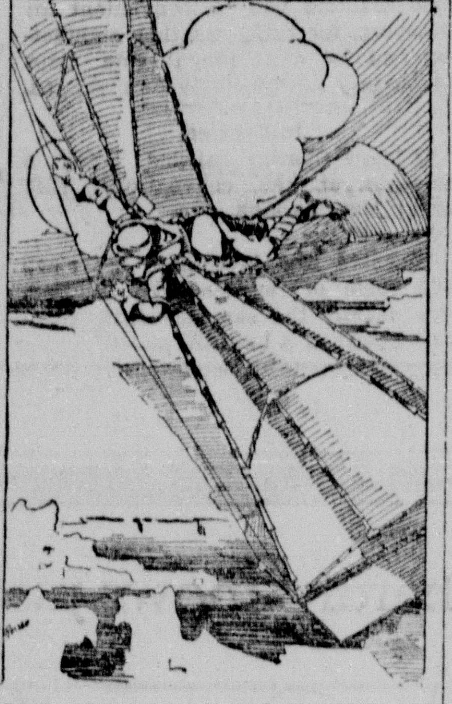
The little valley which he hung poised above was sheltered by a second ridge of rocky, ice-capped hills to the north, and, except for streaks, denoting crevices, here and there, was quite free from ice and snow. There were bright patches of green upon it, evidently some bit of flowering northern grass, and it was flecked here and there with bright bits of color, yellow poppy, he judged it to be, and saxifrage. Hugging the base of the mountain on the opposite side of the valley, then notching the cliff and grinding down to sea at the other side of it was a great white glacier, all the whiter, and colder, and more dazzling for its contrast with the brown mountain-side and the green-clad valley.

Up above the glacier, on the farther side, were great broad yellow patches, which he would have thought were poppy field, but for the impossibility of their growing in such a place. No vegetable growth was possible, he would have thought, against that clean-cut, almost vertical, rocky face. And yet, what else could have given it that blazing yellow color? Some day he was to learn the answer to that question.

But the thing that caught his eye now, that made him start and draw in a little involuntary gasp of wonder, was the sight of a little clump of black dots moving slowly, almost imperceptibly from this distance, across the face of the glacier. He blinked his eyes, as if he suspected them of playing him false. Unless they had played him false, these tiny dots were men.

All of the party, but one man, were dressed exactly alike, in hooded bear-skin shirts and breeches, and boots of what he guessed was walrus hide. They moved along with the peculiar wary shuffle of men accustomed, by long habit, to the footing and to the heavy confining garb they wore. So far as he could see they were unarmed.

The other man was strikingly different. He appeared to be clad much as Cayley was himself, in leather,



Cayley Wheeled Sharply Up Into the Wind.

rather than in untanned hide. He seemed slighter, sprightlier, and in every way to convey the impression of having come more recently from the civilized, habitable portion of the world than his companions. He carried a rifle slung by a strap over his shoulder, evidently foreseeing no immediate use for it, and a flask.

Cayley was too far aloft for their conversation to be audible to him, but he could hear that they were talking. The leather-clad man appeared to be doing the most of it, and, from the inflection of his voice, he seemed to be speaking in English.

Presently he noticed that the leather-clad man had forged a little ahead of his companions, or, rather—like a flash, this idea occurred to Cayley—that the others were purposely lagging a little behind.

And then, before that sinister idea could formulate itself into a definite suspicion, his eyes widened with amazement, and the cry he would have uttered died in his throat; for this man, who had so innocently allowed the others to fall behind him, suddenly staggered, clutched at something—it looked like a thin ivory dart—that had transfixed his throat, tugged it out in a sudden flood of crimson, reeled a little and then went backwards over the glassy edge of a fissure in the ice, which lay just to the left of the path where he had been walking.

From the instant when Cayley had noticed the others dropping behind, to the last glimpse he had of the body of the murdered man could hardly have been five seconds.

The instant the murdered man disappeared, another, who had not previously been with the party, it seemed, appeared from behind a hummock of ice. There could be no doubt either that he was the assassin, or that he was the commander of the little group of skin-clad figures that remained. The ambush appeared to have been perfectly deliberate. There had been no outcry, not even a gesture of surprise or of remonstrance.

Cayley looked at the assassin curiously. He was dressed exactly like the others, but seemed very much bigger; seemed to walk with less of a slouch, and had, even to Cayley's limited view of him, an air of authority. Cayley was surprised at his not being armed with a bow, for he knew of no other way in which a dart could have been propelled with power enough, even at close range, to have transfixed a man's throat. The assassin's only weapon, except for a quiverful of extra darts, seemed to be a short blunt stick, rudely whittled, perhaps ten inches long.

Obedient, apparently, to the order of the new arrival, the party changed its direction, leaving what was evidently a well-known path to them, for a seemingly more direct but rougher route. And they moved now with an appearance of haste. Presently they scrambled over a precipitous ledge of ice and, in a moment, were lost to Cayley's view.

The world was suddenly empty again, as if no living foot had ever trodden it; and Cayley, hovering there, a little above the level of the ice, rubbed his eyes and wondered whether the singular, silent tragedy he had just witnessed were real, or a trick the mysterious arctic light had played upon his tired eyes. But there remained upon that vacant scene two material reminders of the tragedy to which it had afforded a setting. One was smudge of crimson on the snow; the other, a little distance off, just this side of the icy ridge over which the last of the party had gone scrambling a moment before, was the strange looking blunt stick which he had seen in the assassin's hand.

Cayley flew a little lower, his wings almost skimming the ice. Finally, reaching the spot where the thing had fallen, he alighted and picked it up. Whether its possessor had valued it, or not, whether or not he might be expected to return for it, Cayley did not know, and did not much care.

He stood for some time turning the thing over in his hands, puzzling over it, trying to make out how it could have been used as the instrument of propulsion to that deadly ivory dart. There was a groove on one side of it, with a small ivory plug at the end. The other end was curiously shaped, misshapen, rather, for, though it was obviously the end one held, Cayley could not make it fit his hand, whatever position he held it in.

Giving up the problem at last, he tucked the stick into his belt, slipped his arm through the strap in the frame-work of his aeroplane and prepared for flight. He had a little difficulty getting up, owing to the absence of a breeze at this point. Finally he was obliged to climb, with a good deal of labor, the icy ridge up which he had watched the little party of murderers scrambling.

At the crest he cast a glance around, looking for them, but saw no signs of them. Then, getting a favorable slant of the wind, he mounted again into the element he now called his own.

Five years before Philip Cayley would have passed for a good example of that type of clean-limbed, clean-minded, likable young man which the best of our civilization seems to be flowering into. Physically, it would have been hard to suggest an improvement in him, he approached so near the ideal standards. He was fine grained, supple, slender, small-jointed, thorough-bred from head to heel.

Intellectually, he had been good enough to go through the academy at West Point with credit, and to graduate high enough in his class to be assigned to service in the cavalry. His standards of conduct, his ideas of honor and morality had been about the same as those of the best third of his classmates. If his fellow officers in the Philippines, during the year or two he spent in the service, had been asked to pick a flaw in him, which they would have been reluctant to do, they would have said that he seemed to them a bit too thin-skinned and rather fastidious; that was what his chum and only intimate friend, Perry Hunter, said about him at any rate.

But he could afford to be fastidious, for he had about all a man could want, one would think. For three generations they had taken wealth for granted in the Cayley family, and with it had come breeding, security of social position, simplicity and ease in making friends, both among men and women. In short, there could be no doubt at all that up to his twenty-ninth year Fate had been ironically kind to Philip Cayley. She had given him no hint, no preparation for the stunning blow that was to fall upon him, suddenly, out of so clear a sky.

When it did fall, it cut his life clean across; so that when he thought back to that time now, it seemed to him that the Lieutenant Cayley of the United States army had died over there in the Philippines, and that he, the man who was now soaring in those great circles through the arctic sky, was a chance inheritor of his name and of his memory.

He had set out one day at the head of a small scouting party, the best-liked man in the regiment, secure in the respect, in the almost fatherly regard, of his colonel, proudly conscious of the almost idolatrous admiration of his men and the younger officers. He had gone out believing that no one ever had a truer friend than he possessed in Perry Hunter, his classmate at West Point, his fellow officer in the regiment, the confidant of all his hopes and ideals.

He had come back, after a fortnight's absence, to find his name smeared with disgrace, himself judged and condemned, unheard, in the opinion of the mess. And that was not the worst of it. The same blow which had deprived him of the regard of the only people in the world who mattered to him, destroyed, also, root and branch, his affection for the one man of whom he had made an intimate. The only feeling that it would be possible for him to entertain for Perry Hunter again must be a half-pitying, half-incredulous contempt. And if that was his feeling for the man he had trusted most and loved the most deeply, what must be it for the rest of humankind? What did it matter what they thought of him or what they did to him? All he wanted of human society was to escape from it.

He fell to wondering, as he hung, suspended, over that rosy expanse of fleecy fog, whether, were the thing to do over again, he would act as he had acted five years ago; whether he would content himself with a single disdainful denial of the monstrous thing they charged him with; whether he would resign again, under fire, and go away, leaving his tarnished name for the daws to peck at.

Heretofore he had always answered that question with a fierce affirmative. Today it left him wondering. Had he stayed, had he paid the price that would have been necessary to clear himself, he would never have found his wings, so much was clear. He would never have spent those four years in the wilderness, working, experimenting, taking his life in his

He Heard a Little Surprised Cry.

hands, day after day, while he mastered the art that no man had ever mastered before.

He had set himself this task because it was the only one he knew that did not involve contact with his fellow-beings. He must have something that he could work at alone. Work and solitude were two things that he had felt an overmastering craving for. And the possibility he had faced with a light heart every morning—the possibility of a sudden and violent death before night, had been no more to him than an agreeable spice to the day's work.

It was not until he had actually learned to fly, had literally shaken the dust of the earth from his feet and taken to the sky as his abode, that his wound had healed. The three months that he had spent in this upper arctic air, a-wing for 18 hours out of 24, had calmed him, put his nerves in tune again; given him for men and their affairs a quiet indifference, in place of the smarting contempt he had been hugging to his breast before. Three months ago, at sight of those little human dots crossing the glacier, he would have wheeled aloft and gone sailing away. Even a month ago he would hardly have hung, soaring there, above the fog, waiting for it to lift again the veil of mystery which it had drawn across the tragic scene he had just witnessed.

The month was August, and the long arctic day had already begun to know its diurnal twilight. A fortnight ago the sun had dipped, for the first time, below the horizon. By now there were four or five hours, out of every 25, that would pass for night.

The sun set while he hung there in the air, and as it did so, with a new slant of the breeze the fog rolled itself up into a great violet-colored cloud, leaving the earth, the ice, the sea unveiled below him. And there, in the open water of the little bay, he saw a ship, and on the shore a cluster of rude huts.

It struck him, even from the height at which he soared, that the ship, tied to an ice-floe in the shelter of the great headland, did not look like a whaler, nor like the sort of craft which an arctic explorer would have selected for his purposes. It had more the trim smartness of a yacht.

They were probably all asleep down there, he reflected. It was nearly midnight and he saw no signs of life anywhere. He would drop down for a nearer look.

He descended, with a sudden hawk-like pounce, which was one of his more recent achievements in the navigation of the air, checked himself again at about the level of the mast-head, with a flashing, forward swoop, like a man diving in shallow water; then, with a sudden effort, brought himself up standing, his planes nearly vertical, and, with a backward spring, alighted, clear of his wings, on the ice-floe just opposite the ship.

As he did so, he heard a little surprised cry, half of fear, half of astonishment. It was a girl's voice.

(To be Continued)

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MAY MASSACRE U. S. CITIZENS

Charges That Americans Insulted Nicaraguan Flag May Bring Tragedy.

RUSH 2,500 MARINES SOUTH

Government Working at Top Speed to Put Force in Republic to Stem Rebel Depredations—Sends Gunboat to Mexico.

Port Limon, Costa Rico, Aug. 24.—Additional bitterness has been injected into the civil war in Nicaragua by the report that Zelaya, the tyrant whom Diaz deposed, may return. Attacks on the "dollar diplomacy" of the United States and published charges that Americans have insulted the Nicaraguan flag seem likely to lead to wholesale massacres of Americans.

Rushing Marines Into Nicaragua.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The United States government is working at top speed to throw 2,500 marines into Nicaragua to give battle to the rebel hordes under Generals Mena and Zeledon. General Mena has announced from his headquarters at Massaya, thirty miles from the Nicaraguan capital, that he would sack and destroy the port of Corinto under the guns of the American warship Annapolis and in the face of contrary orders from Captain Terhune of that vessel, who has left Managua hastily for the coast to take command of the marines against the rebels.

340 Men for Corinto.

The war department ordered the California, en route from San Diego to Panama to disembark 340 marines at Corinto. This will give the United States 2,500 marines and bluejackets in Nicaragua, but if these should not prove sufficient the president will order some of the regular army to service in the southern republic. Atrocities perpetrated by Mena, including the massacre of 500 Nicaraguans at Leon, has caused gravest apprehension here for the safety of Americans in Nicaragua.

Managua, Corinto and Bluefields are threatened and the scout cruiser Prairie started today from Philadelphia with 750 marines for Nicaragua. The California should arrive Wednesday. The sacking of Corinto will cut off Managua from the coast and the war department is using all haste to get as large a body as possible of marines into the capital immediately.

U. S. Sends Gunboat to Mexico.

To protect Americans and their property on the west coast of Mexico from the outlawry and brigandage of numerous bands of rebels, the government has dispatched the gunboat Vicksburg to Guayamas, Gulf of California, from San Diego. The situation in southeastern Mexico continues so unsettled and alarming that several small gunboats may be sent from West Indian waters to Vera Cruz and ports to the southward.

MAKE SENSATIONAL ARREST

Steamship Stopped in Mid-Ocean and Three Women Taken.

San Francisco, Aug. 24.—One of the most sensational arrests in the history of the local U. S. marshal's office was made when Deputy U. S. Marshals Burnham and Warner stopped the Pacific Mail steamship Manchuria as she passed the three-mile limit en route to China and took from the ship Mrs. Bernice Ward, a notorious procuress, and Jane Kelly and Jennie Heath, two girls who were being taken to China for immoral purposes.

BILL VETOED TWICE A LAW

Taft Signs Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Measure.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The president has signed the bill making appropriations for the legislative, executive and judicial branch of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913. This bill had twice been vetoed by the executive and was only accepted after the continuance of the commerce court had been provided for, though this provision is until March 4 of next year.

TO GET DOOMED MAN'S EYE

W. J. Abrahams, Blind, Asks for Novel Operation at Colorado Execution.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 24.—If the strange request of William J. Abrams, a blind man of Denver, is granted he will see through the eyes of Lewis J. Wechter, condemned to die in the penitentiary at Canon City next week. Abrams asks that the eyes of the condemned man be grafted in place of his own.

Mrs. White Sued for Dress Bill.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Marian Gilhooley White, wife of the head of the White Sewing Machine company, is named defendant in a suit filed in municipal court here by Haas Bros., New York tailoring concern, for dress bills totaling $720.

Operates on Himself; Dies.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 24.—Jose Armandez, a Mexican, is dead as the result of having tried to relieve an attack of acute stomach trouble by performing an operation upon himself with a butcher knife.

No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

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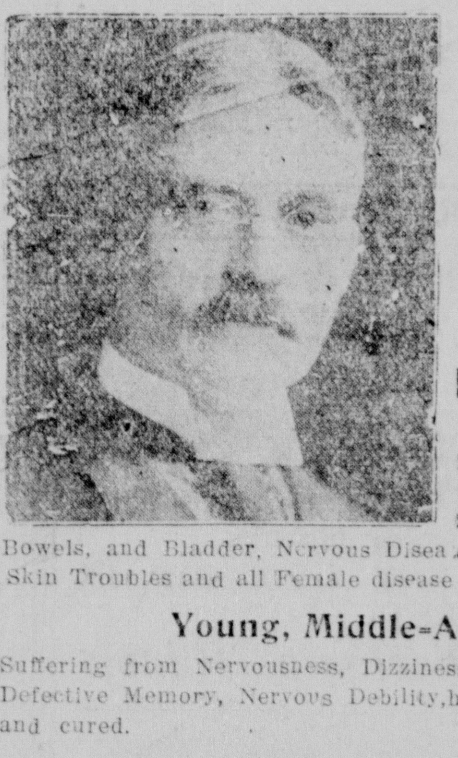
His Work Speaks for Itself

The doctor keeps abreast of the times by devoting all his spare time to clinical work in the Chicago hospitals. He is not content to rest on laurels already won but he is on the alert for anything and every thing that will assist him in diagnosing and treating many cases that come before him. In 1909 he had special work in hospitals of London and Edinburg and is enthusiastic over the results attained.

You Can Depend Upon Him

Others can come and go but Dr. Prettyman continues his visits regularly and does as he agrees in every case. In employing him you are assured not only the best results butthat he will be here for years to come.



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WANTED. To rent by Sept 1, modern house. Small house preferred. C. A. Ogden, Phone 691. 98 3

WANTED. Married man to work on farm. Address "B," Care Telegraph. 97 3*

WANTED. Poultry of all kinds. Highest market price paid. Enquire of Leonard Blass, residence, 701 N. Ottawa Ave., Dixon. Home Phone No. 13433. 1 pmo*

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WANTED. Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, not over 5 blocks from car line. "V," Care Telegraph. 99 3

WANTED. Girls to work in the dining room at the DeLog oHtel, Rochelle, Ill. 99 3

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FOR SALE. Flowers; choice asters. Rates reasonable. Call and see them. Chas. Spielman, 607 E. Chamberlain St. 98 3*

FOR SALE. Farm, 197½ acres. Good Ohio soil. 4 miles from town of 2500; nearly level. Buy of owner. A. A. Lathrop, Swanton, Ohio. 98 12*

FOR SALE CHEAP. Chain pump. Enquire phone 992. tf

FOR SALE. Real estate is the only safe investment as 90 per cent of all others prove unprofitable and 50 per cent fail to return the money invested. For Fine Improved Farm, close to town; Illinois settlement, see E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, S. D. tf

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FOR SALE. Young registered Holstein-Fresian bulls. Low prices; choicest milk and butter breeding. Photographs and pedigrees. Also grade cows. Customers met at train by appointment. Rockyford Dairy, Amboy, Ill. Green & Vaughan, Owners. 94 12

FOR SALE. Gravel and sand. Will furnish it anywhere, in this city or elsewhere. Ben McWilliams, telephone 13. 307 Grant Ave., Dixon. 79tf

FOR SALE. $50 Graphaphone in excellent condition. Will sell for $35. Mahogany machine and horn. Some 25 double records. 37tf 5.

FOR SALE Arnold residence, 308 W. Chamberlain St. 7 rooms, city water. Inquire of Jason C. Ayres. 38 24

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FOR SALE. Turkey red winter wheat For particulars call or address E. J. McGrath, Woosung, Ill. 90tf

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The undersigned having disposed of his home in Dixon, intending to leave for the west, makes the following announcement that on Thursday, August 29th, 1912, I will sell at my residence, 835 North Galena avenue, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, the following personal property, towit: My team of English bred ponies, 1 rubber tired surrey, nearly as good as new, 1 top buggy, 2 sets pony harness, 2 fine bedroom suits, 1 oxidized iron bed, springs and mattress, 1 hair and 1 Ostermore mattress, 1 mahogany piano, 1 quarter-sawed oak dining table, oak dining chairs, cane bottom chairs, Morris chair, rockers, oak bookcase, cupboard, couch, carpets, rugs, 1 Hall's fireproof safe, lot of dishes, kitchen utensils, kitchen table, 1 walnut center table, 1 gasoline stove, gas plate, ice cream freezer, lot of good books, linoleum, oil cans, incubator and brooder, Philo coops, forks, rakes and many other tools, workbench and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale: Cash. No property to be removed until settled for.

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F. D. Kelly, Auctioneer.
H. C. Warner, Clerk. 98 3*

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Creamery	32
Potatoes	$1.00@1.25
Oats	26@29
Corn	68@71

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C. D. Anderson, Local Mannagr

Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade:

Chicago, Aug. 24, 1912.

Wheat				
Sept	94 3/8	94 3/8S	94	94S
Dec	93 7/8	93 7/8S	93 1/2	93 5/8
May	97 5/8	97 3/4	97 1/4	97 3/8
Corn—				
Sept	73	73	71 3/4	72 1/4
Dec	54 3/8	54 1/2	54 1/8	54 3/8
May	53 3/8	53 1/2S	53 1/4	53 3/8
Sept	32 5/8	32 7/8	32 1/2	32 1/2
Dec	33 1/8	33 1/8	32 3/4S	32 3/4
May	35S	35 1/8	34 7/8S	34 7/8
Pork—				
Sept	1785	1795	1785	1792
Oct	1797	1805S	1797	1805
Lard—				
Sept	1100	1100	1097	1100
Oct	1110	1110S	1107	1107
Rib				
Sept	1097	1097	1090	1095
Oct	1100	1100	1095	1097

Hogs open tsrong to 5c higher than yesterday's average.

Left over—3646.
Light—820—882½.
Mixed—805@880.
Heavy—790@870.
Rough—790@810.
Cattle and sheep steady.

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LOST. Black tailor made jacket between Oberhart farm and West Brooklyn. Finder please leave at M. J. Bieschke store, West Brooklyn, and receive reward. 99 3

LOST. A pair of eye-glasses attached to a gold chain. Finder please return to John Thome or this office. 192tf

GIVE TRUST A CHANCE

TELEPHONE COMBINE MUST DISSOLVE OR GO TO COURT.

Government Will Await Plan Which Corporation Must Work Out and Submit to Attorney General.

Washington, Aug. 24.—It was learned at the department of justice that the department has made out its case against the telephone trust and that the concern must dissolve or be taken into court.

The attitude of the attorney general towards the American Telephone and Telegraph company and its components is precisely that which he assumed in the case of the beef trust and the harvester trust and all the combinations in restraint of trade he attacked following the decision of the Supreme court in the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases.

In brief the telephone trust will be given an opportunity to present to the attorney general a plan of dissolution, but this must be agreed to by the attorney general and made of record in some court, probably in Chicago.

The investigation of the trust has been going on for about six months.

Evidence has been obtained fully showing that the methods of this monopoly have been like nearly all the others. They stifled competition by buying up local concerns, throttling new enterprises and in general obstructing any opposition or rivalry.

MRS. CLARENCE MACKAY HURT

Prominent Society Leader Is Cut and Bruised in Automobile Accident—Not Serious.

Stockbridge, Mass., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Clarence Mackay of New York was painfully but not seriously hurt in an automobile accident here. Mrs. Mackay was driving a runabout down Monument mountain, when the car skidded, struck a pile of stones and was overturned. Mrs. Mackay suffers from bruises, cuts and shock, but no bones were broken.

Dies After Day in Caisson.

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 24.—After having been imprisoned for twenty-six hours in a thirty-five-foot caisson beneath the Illinois river in the excavations for a new railway bridge, near Pekin, F. J. Schmidt was hauled to the surface with a derrick and died within five minutes.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Aug. 23.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT—				
Sept.	.94-94⅛	.94¼	.93⅝	.93¾
Dec.	.93½-¾	.93⅞	.93⅛	.93⅛
May	.97¼-½	.97⅝	.96⅞-97	.96⅞-97
CORN—				
Sept.	.72⅞-73⅛	.74	.71¾	.72⅝
Dec.	.54⅝-55	.55	.53⅞	.54
May	.53¾-⅞	.54	.53⅛	.53⅛
OATS—				
Sept.	.32⅝-¾	.32¾	.32⅜-½	.32⅜-⅛
Dec.	.33-33⅛	.33¼	.32⅞	.32⅞
May	.35⅞-¾	.35¼	.34⅞	.34⅞

FLOUR—Easy; winter wheat, patent, jute, $4.80@4.90; winter wheat, straight, $4.50@4.60; winter wheat, clear, jute, $4.00@4.10; spring wheat, choice brands, wood, $5.70; Minnesota, patent, jute, $4.80@4.90; Minnesota, hard spring, patent, straight, export bags, $4.50@4.65; first clears, $3.80@4.00; second clears, $3.20@3.80; low grades, $3.00@3.10; rye, white, per bbl., jute, $3.70@3.80; dark, $3.50@3.60.

BUTTER—Creamery, 25c; price to retail dealers, 27c; prints, 28c; extra firsts, 23½c; seconds, 22½c; dairies, extras, 23c; firsts, 22c; seconds, 21c; ladles, No. 1, 21½c; packing stock, 20c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 17½@18½c; cases returned, 17@18c; ordinary firsts, 18c; firsts, 20c; extras, candled for city trade, 24c; No. 1, dirties, 16c; checks, 14c.

POTATOES—Minnesota, 58@68c; Jersey cobblers, per bu., 85@90c; Wisconsin, 50@55c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, per lb., 12c; chickens, fowls, 13c; roosters, 9½c; springs, 17c; geese, 9@12c; ducks, 14c.

New York, Aug. 23.

WHEAT—Firmer, fairly active; No. 1 northern, spring, $1.03¾; No. 2 red, $1.08; No. 2 hard, $1.03¼; No. 1 Manitoba, $1.03¾; No. 1 macaroni, $1.06½; September, $1.02; December, $1.01⅛.

CORN—Scarce and higher; No. 2 yellow, 90@93c.

OATS—Steady; fair export inquiry; No. 2 white, 40c; standard, 40c; ungraded, 40@45c.

BARLEY—Quiet; malting, 60@70c.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 23.

CATTLE—Good to choice steers, $9.00@10.50; fair to good steers, $6.40@8.50, common to fair beeves, $6.15@6.25; inferior killers, $3.75@5.00; distillery steers, $7.40@8.25; range steers, $7.40@8.25; fair to fancy yearlings, $7.25@8.00; good to choice cows, $5.60@7.25; canner bulls, $2.25@2.35; common to good calves, $4.50@6.25; good to choice vealers, $9.00@9.75; heavy calves, $5.50@9.00; feeding steers, $5.25@6.25; stockers, $4.40@5.50; medium to good beef cows, $3.50@5.50; common to good cutters, $3.00@3.75; inferior to good canners, $2.75@3.50; fair to choice heifers, $5.50@8.50.

HOGS—Good to prime heavy, $8.35@8.55; good to choice butchers, $8.40@8.60; fair to good heavy packing, $8.30@8.45; light mixed, 175 lbs. and up, $8.50@8.65; choice light, 170 to 200 lbs., $8.65@8.80; pigs, 110 lbs. and under, $7.00@8.15; pigs, 110 to 140 lbs., $8.10@8.40.

Omaha, Aug. 23.

CATTLE—Native steers, $5.85@10.35; cows and heifers, $3.25@7.00; western steers, $5.25@9.50; Texas steers, $4.50@6.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@6.50; canners, $2.85@4.15; stockers and feeders, $4.00@8.00; calves, $4.25@8.25; bulls, stags, etc., $3.85@5.65.

HOGS—Heavy, $7.85@8.15; mixed, $7.95@8.10; light, $8.15@8.35; pigs, $6.50@7.50; bulk of sales, $7.90@8.15.

SHEEP—Yearlings, $4.50@5.35; wethers, $3.50@4.25; ewes, $3.00@4.00; lambs, $5.00@6.75.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 23.

CATTLE—Market fairly active and steady; prime steers, $9.00@9.50; butcher grades, $3.00@8.00; calves, cull to choice, $6.50@12.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active, 10c higher; choice lambs, $7.50@7.65; cull to fair, $5.00@7.25; yearlings, $3.00@5.50; sheep, $2.00@5.00.

HOGS—Market active, 5@10c higher; Yorkers, $8.90@9.15; pigs, $8.50; mixed, $9.10@9.15; heavy, $9.00, roughs, $7.20@7.70; stags, $6.50@7.00.

SECRETARY KNOX SAILS FOR JAPAN

Will Attend Emperor's Funeral as Representative From United States.

BURIAL WILL COST $1,000,000

America's Floral Tribute Is a Wreath of Magnolia and Cycas Leaves Four Feet in Diameter—Envoy on Cruiser Maryland.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 24.—Secretary Knox has sailed for Japan aboard the cruiser Maryland. Before embarking he declared that the sole object in going was to attend the funeral of Japan's emperor, and that his visit there bore no political significance whatever.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Knox, Ranford Miller, chief of the far eastern division of the state department. Rear Admiral Alfred Reynolds, commanding the Maryland, will represent the United States navy at the funeral and Knox the nation.

The Knox party arrived aboard the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Charlotte from Vancouver, B. C., and was met at the pier by former Secretary of the Interior Richard Ballinger, Japanese Consul Takahashi and a number of prominent citizens and Japanese officials. He immediately boarded the Maryland and declined to talk of politics.

Knox is taking America's floral tribute, which is a wreath of magnolia and cycas leaves four feet in diameter. It was made in Seattle on the government's orders.

Funeral to Cost $1,000,000.

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 24.—Yoshihito, the new emperor of Japan, completed the formalities connected with his accession to the throne. The concluding ceremony was the reading by the premier of a special imperial edict to the members of the diet assembled in extraordinary session. The document was textually as follows:

"I have ascended the throne of my imperial ancestors and expect to follow in the footsteps of the late emperor, obeying the guidance of my ancestors."

An appropriation of $750,000 to cover the expenses of the funeral of the late emperor was then introduced. The remainder of the cost of the funeral ceremonies, which will amount altogether to $1,000,000, will be borne by the emperor's private purse. The lying in state of the body of Mutsuhito is to be viewed by the entire diplomatic corps September 4, who will be admitted to the death chamber after an audience with the new emperor and empress.

TEN HURT IN WRECK

Missouri Passenger Train Derailed Near Ottawa, Kan.

Engineer, Probken Pinned Under Overturned Engine, Badly Scalded by Steam and Will Probably Die.

Ottawa, Kan., Aug. 24.—Ten persons were injured seriously and dozens of other passengers were bruised when Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 3 was derailed three and one-half miles east of Ottawa. Among the injured, mostly Kansas City and Kansas people, is Frank Norling of Kansas City, auditor for the Modern Woodmen of America. His left ankle was broken.

The train was a double header, running one hour and thirty minutes late. The delay had been caused when a drawhead pulled out near Kansas City. The wreck was caused by the rear wheels of the tender on the first engine leaving the track. All cars but the two Pullmans and the diner tipped over.

Edward Burns, the engineer, attempted to jump from the cab as the engine turned, but his clothing was caught. He was thrown over the engine and pinioned by broken fragments. He was too weak to extricate himself and escaping steam burned his arms and face. He probably will die.

Passengers in terror crawled through the windows. Physicians and ambulances were called from Ottawa.

TAFT SIGNS PANAMA BILL

Gold Pen Used Will Be Exhibited at 'Frisco's Big Exposition.

Washington, Aug. 24.—President Taft signed the Panama canal bill today. The gold pen with which his signature was affixed was presented to W. R. Wheeler, manager of the traffic bureau of the San Francisco chamber of commerce, who will take it to San Francisco for exhibition at the Panama Pacific international exposition in 1915.

Writes 49-Page Letter to Governor.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 24.—Forty-nine pages of ordinary-sized writing paper were required by a citizen of Montevideo, Minn., to tell Gov. Eberhart how he should vote. The governor had been elected.

Bishop Grafton Dying.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 24.—Bishop Charles C. Grafton, one of the best known prelates in the American Episcopalian church, is at the point of death.

WOMAN DIZZY PARTLY NUMB

Doctors Did Her No Good—Testifies How She Was Helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

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TIME TABLE.
Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. : Daily *Daily except Sunday

South Bound.

:123 Express	11:15 a. m
*131 Clinton Exp.	5:10 p. m
*191 Amboy Frt.	8:50 a. m
North Bound.	
*132 Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m
1124 Local Mail	5:30 p. m
*192 Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:21 a. m	6:45 a. m
10	5:46 a. m.	8:20 a. m
24	6:27 a. m.	9:05 a m
28	7:21 a. m.	10:15 a. m
8	8:33 a. m.	11:20 a. m
14	10:55 a. m.	1:30 p. m
20	11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun	2:40 p. m
18	4:04 p. m. d'ly exSun	7:25 p. m
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p m
14	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m

WEST BOUND.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
17	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:14 a m
99	7:30 a. m. Sun only	10:43 a. m.
13	9:30 a. m.	12:06 p. m
19	12:30 p. m. ex Sun	3:43 p. m.
27	4:35 p. m.	7:29 p. m
*11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
**1	8:20 p. m.	11:07 p. m.
7	10:16 p. m.	12:53 a. m
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a m
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17	37	57	Galena & First	23	43	3
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30	50	10	Depots	10	30	50

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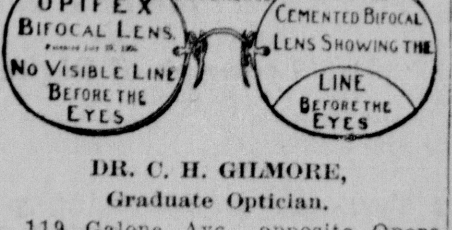

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HUNTER SHOOTS SON DEAD

John Ivanhoe of Central City Is Killed—Gun Is Accidentally Discharged as They Were Crossing Over a Fence.

Centralia, Aug. 24.—While on a hunting expedition in company with his father, John Ivanhoe of Central City was killed.

A rifle in the hands of his father was discharged as they were crossing a fence, the bullet penetrating the boy's body near the heart. Ivanhoe is a miner.

Fast Mail Train Derailed.

Cairo, Aug. 24.—The Memphis and New Orleans Illinois Central fast mail train No. 1 was derailed on a curve three miles north of Makanda. The entire train of eight coaches with exception of a Pullman sleeper left the track, but none of the coaches was overturned. Both tracks were effectually blocked for many hours. No one was seriously injured. The train carried nearly 300 passengers, many of whom had been attending the Soldiers and Sailors' reunion at Duquoin. The wreck was caused by tender of locomotive jumping the track.

Held for Passing Bad Coin.

Springfield, Aug. 24.—Unable to satisfactorily explain how he came into possession of a bad dollar, Thomas Wiley was arrested here on a charge of passing counterfeit money. The counterfeit coin was a part of the plunder taken from the safe of the Sangamon Ice Cream company when it was robbed recently. Wiley, who is a vender of ice cream, makes his headquarters at the plant. It is charged that he passed the bad coin on Mrs. Mary Grigsby, a customer.

Lad Killed by Big Four Train.

Lawrenceville, Aug. 24.—Ed Walker, eighteen years old, was struck by a Big Four train and instantly killed. In company with two companions, Walker spent a day in Vincennes. Returning home the three were put off the train at St. Francisville by the conductor for drinking on the train. They then started to walk to this city, a distance of ten miles. A tramp found the mangled remains of Walker on the Big Four right of way three miles south of this city.

Eight Nurses Qualify.

Springfield, Aug. 24.—Eight graduate nurses of the Peoria State hospital passed the state civil service examination here July 20 and have qualified for positions. They are: Pearle J. Justice, Anna McCumsky, Shirley W. Bostrand, Jennie H. Nixon, Margaret McCumsky, Anna E. Koobs, Clare A. Crickett and Nettie G. Sapp. The graduation of this number from the Peoria State Hospital Training school is regarded as a special mark of merit for the school.

Pana to Get Farm Station.

Champaign, Aug. 24.—The University of Illinois will place an agriculture experiment station at Pana. Last November Captain and Mrs. Kitchell presented to the university this ground. In this connection the Pana Township High school will take up the study of agriculture and the same field will be used. The site of this station is north of the city limits of Pana, located on one of the finest pieces of farm land in Christian county.

Deneen Speaks at Reunion.

Duquoin, Aug. 24.—At the annual reunion of the Southern Illinois Soldiers and Sailors' Reunion association—and it is estimated that 10,000 persons were here from this section of the state—Governor Deneen, Secretary of State Doyle, former State Treasurer Andrew Russell of Jacksonville and Kent E. Keller of Ava, Democratic nominee for state senator, spoke.

Heavy Storm at Charleston.

Charleston, Aug. 24.—This section was visited by one of the worst storms of the season and a heavy rainfall did much damage to grain. The power plant at Mattoon was damaged so badly that the light and power, which are supplied here, failed two or three times.

Crushed to Death by Car.

Marion, Aug. 24.—Joseph Kepner of Salem, foreman of a Chicago & Eastern Illinois wrecking crew, was killed at the Peabody coal mines near Marion. The men were clearing away a wreck and the chain broke, letting a coal car they were hoisting fall back upon Kepner.

Requisition for John King.

Springfield, Aug. 24.—Governor Deneen issued a requisition on the governor of Texas for the return to Chicago of John King, under arrest in Dallas, and wanted in Illinois on a charge of obtaining goods and money by means of a confidence game.

Grandson of Harrison Dies.

Erie, Aug. 24.—John Hatton, grandson of President William Henry Harrison, and cousin of President Benjamin Harrison, died at his home here. He was ninety-eight years old.

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MARRIAGE RITES IN ARMENIA

Ancient and Odd Customs Are Still Commonly Observed In This Country.

Constantinople, Turkey.—Cupid has little chance in Armenia, where young women are closely secluded and kept away from all social intercourse with young men. From the time of her birth the life of the Armenian girl is regulated by her parents, even to the arrangements for her marriage and the choosing of a husband for her, and so closely is she watched that love affairs before marriage are unknown, and, indeed, as she is never allowed to see a man outside of her own family, there is little chance for Cupid to play any tricks on susceptible hearts.

As soon as a girl is born to them Armenian parents begin to lay aside money and fine linens for her marriage portion. When she is considered to have reached the marriageable age

In Bridal Attire.

her mother sends a message to the guardians or parents of some young man who she thinks would be a suitable husband for her daughter, describing the girl's beauty, admirable qualities and particularly the amount of her dowry.

The marriage follows shortly, taking place at the home of the bride's parents, and the ceremony is as imposing as the ritual of the Greek church can make it. The bride, richly garbed in white silks and billows of lace, has quantities of jingling coins dangling from her braids, and both she and the bridegroom wear wreaths of artificial flowers. While the marriage rites are being solemnized the couple must stand or kneel before the priest for several hours with their foreheads pressed together. Meanwhile, drums, bells and other noisy instruments do all they can to detract from the solemnity of the occasion.

When the ceremony is concluded the female relatives of the bride rush to kiss the bridegroom, while they put into his pockets lumps of sugar and fasten ribbons upon his breast. The bride receives no attention whatever.

RURAL COP LIVES IN CLOVER

Getting the Market's Best, Awaiting Millionaire's Return to Collect Note.

Cleveland, Ohio.—Constable George Morris, monarch of all he surveys in the village of Nottingham, now lolling in the lap of luxury, is having the time of his life at the country mansion of Patrick Calhoun, multimillionaire traction magnate and real estate operator. Miss Martha Calhoun, heiress, has given the retinue of servants orders to serve Constable Morris' every wish.

Morris is at the mansion awaiting Calhoun's return from California to collect a judgment for $7,910, rendered by a California court.

"Now, nothing like that; Miss Calhoun had the servants give me some, you know," is the way Morris met the accusation that he went home for some pajamas.

"Eat? I've been eating like a house afire up here. Anything I want, you know. This morning I had ham and herring, demitasse, and, well, all the rest of the program. Haven't broken a plate yet. Nope, there's nothing doin' on the 'wine and the red stuff.' 'Twouldn't be proper with Pat anyway. But I'm not embarrassed because he's gone."

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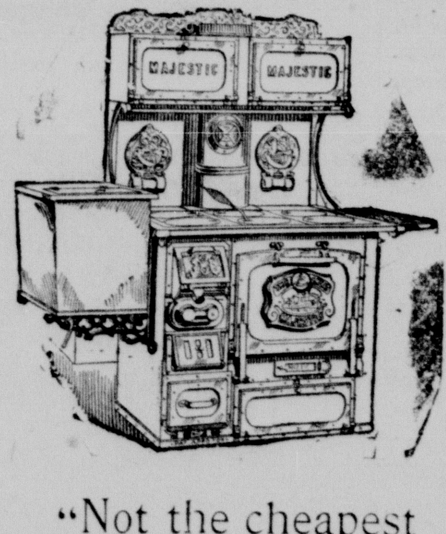

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